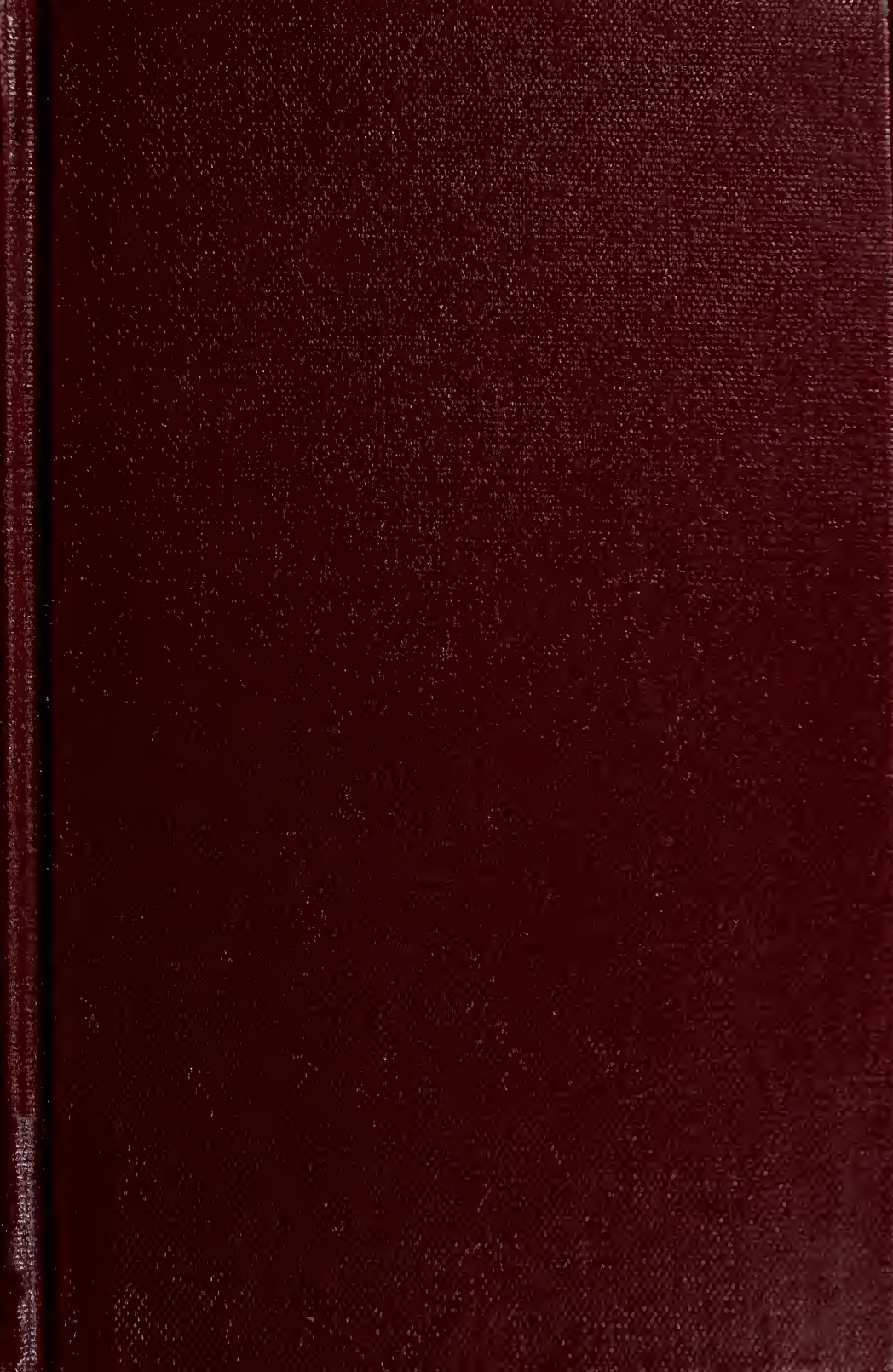




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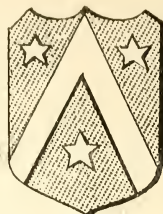
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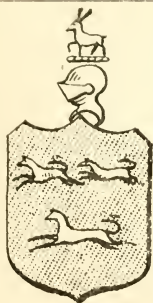
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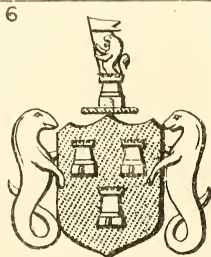
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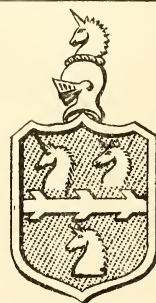
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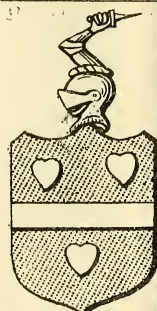
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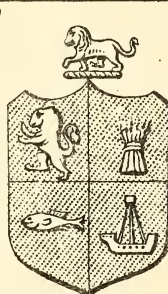
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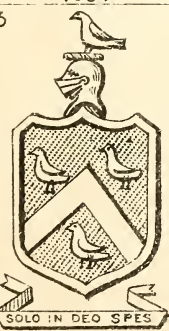
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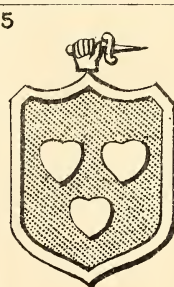
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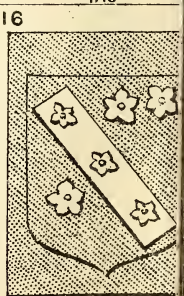
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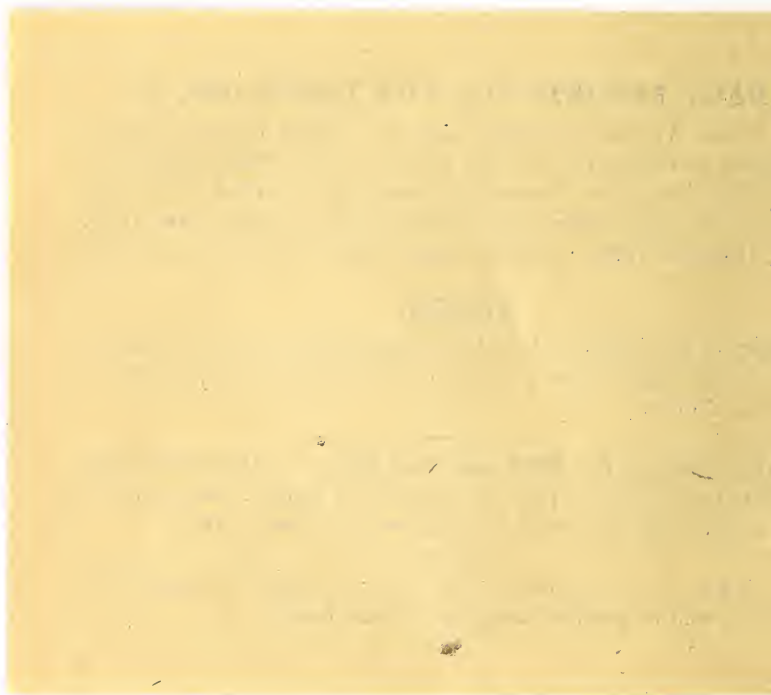
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"Jam parce sepulto
Parce pias scelerare manus."—*Virgil.*

TRANSLATION.—Now deal reverently with my dust. Forbear to pollute thy holy hands.

"Every stone that we look upon in this Repository of past ages, is both an Entertainment and a Monitor."—*Plain Dealer.*

. . . "Tu mihi terram
Injice namque potes
.
Sedibus ut saltem placidis
In morte quiescam."

TRANSLATION.—Do thou, since it is in thy power so to do, sprinkle the earth over my remains, *that at least after death I may rest in an undisturbed grave.*

"Time corrodes our epitaphs, and buries our very tombstones."

"Away from the tumult and passion ;
Away from the care and the strife ;
Away from the folly and fashion
Pervading the city's gay life."

WHERE ARE WICKED FOLK BURIED ?

'Tell me, grey-haired sexton,' said I,
'Where in the field are the wicked folk laid ?
I have wandered the quiet old graveyard through,
And studied the epitaphs, old and new,
But on monument, obelisk, pillar, or stone
I read no evil that men have done.'
The old sexton stood by a grave newly made,
With his chin on his hand, his hand on a spade :
'Who is the judge when the soul takes its flight ?
Who is judge 'twixt the wrong and the right ?
Which of us mortals shall dare to say
That our neighbour was wicked who died to-day ?'
'In our journey through life, the farther we speed,
The better we learn that humility's need
Is charity's spirit that prompts us to find
Rather virtue than vice in the lives of our kind.
'Therefore good deeds we record on these stones ;
The evil men do, let it rest with their bones ;
I have laboured as sexton this many a year,
But I never have buried a bad man here.'

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"You need not fear a surfet; here is but little, and that light of digestion. If it but please your Palate, I question not your Stomach. Fall too; and, much good may it do you."—FR. QUARLES, 1640.

PREFACE.

 WITH this Journal we close Volume III., containing nearly 600 pages, and 55 Illustrations; and with this year (1898) we enter on our second decade, with good hopes of a future in every way prosperous. We have an increased number of Subscribers, and consequently an addition to our funds, together with more literary contributions and a wider field of information.

We agree with the writer from whom we quote :—

"I cannot forbear to mourn a little when old names vanish away, and new come in their place,—

Wonder not, mortal, at thy quick decay—

See, men of marble piecemeal melt away,

When whose the image we no longer read,

But monuments themselves memorials need."

— "It is not without pleasure, and perhaps it may be not without use, that we rescue some quaint old document from the dust of ages; and that we arrest the floating memories of men and things, as they pass down the stream of time toward the ocean of oblivion."

Our object in striving to put on record the fast fading inscriptions on the tombstones of Ireland, is that they may be

preserved for future generations. We are only carrying out the order given (in Isaiah) to the children of Israel, where it is written :—

“Now go, write it before them in a table and note it in a book, that it may be for the time to come for ever and ever.”

We have much pleasure in informing our Subscribers that Lord Walter FitzGerald, M.R.I.A., F.R.S.A., member of the Councils of the Royal Irish Academy and the Royal Society of Antiquaries, and Mr. Reginald M'Clintock Dix, M.R.S.A., have kindly consentd to join the management of this Journal; and we congratulate our members on having obtained the active co-operation of such accomplished antiquaries.

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Meade, Rt. Rev. W. E., D.D. ...	The Palace, Cork
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Pilkington, Henry M.	Tore, Tyrrell's Pass, Westmeath
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Rushe, D. Carolan ...	Far Meehul, Monaghan [Kildare]
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Stubbs, Miss Lucy C. ...	Rathmacknee, Wexford
Swanzy, Henry B. ...	Ivy Lodge, Newry
Synnot, Nicholas J. ...	Furness, Naas, Kildare
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Teeling, Luke ...	19 St. Stephen's-green, Dublin
Tempest, William ...	The Club, Dundalk, Louth
Tenison, C. M. ...	Hobart Town, Tasmania
Tisdall, Mrs. ...	Dulargy, Ravensdale, Louth
Tottenham, Charles ...	The Grosvenor Club, London
Tottenham, Rev. Canon George ...	Benmore, Enniskillen

Trench, T. Cooke	...	...	Millicent, Sallins, Kildare
Townsend, Very Rev. William, D.D.			The Deanery, Tuam
Vernon, Mrs. M. E.	...	...	Castlepark, Kingstown, Dublin
Vicars, Sir Arthur, F.S.A., <i>Ulster</i>			Office of Arms, Dublin Castle
Vigers, Col. Philip D., V.P., R.S.A.I.			Holloden, Carlow
Vigers, Mrs. Philip	...	...	Holloden, Carlow
Vigers, Rev. Richard W.	...	...	Llanwenarth Rectory, Monmouthshire
Wallace, C. J., M.A.	...	...	Belfield, Booterstown
Wall, Lieut.-Colonel J.	...	...	Knock-a-reagh, Wicklow
Walsh, Rt. Rev. W. Pakenham, D.D., V.P., R.S.A.I.	...	...	Montebello, Killiney, Dublin
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Watson, J.	...	...	22 Portland-place, Dublin
Watson, Mrs.	...	...	22 Portland-place, Dublin
Weldon, Rev. P. S.	...	...	The Rectory, Nurney, Carlow
Westropp, Thos. J., M.A., F.R.S.A.I.			77 Lower Leeson-street, Dublin
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Wheble, Mrs. E. M.	...	...	Monasterevan, Kildare
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White, W. Grove	...	...	13 Upper Ormond-quay, Dublin
White, R. P.	...	...	Woodview, Stillorgan, Dublin
White, Very Rev. George P.			The Deanery, Cashel
Willcocks, Rev. Canon	...	...	Dunleckney Rectory, Carlow
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P. D. VIGORS.

Holloden, Bagenalstown.
January, 1898.

DESCRIPTION OF THE ARMS
GIVEN ON THE
FRONTISPIECE TO THIS YEAR'S JOURNAL,
1897.

N.B.—It is to be understood that the shaded ground in these coats does not represent any heraldic colour, and, with the exception of No. 9, the apparent "bordures" are considered to be only the stonemason's edgings to the shields.

1. DAWSON.—No date given. Coleraine, County Londonderry.
Crest—A mullet.
Arms—On a bend engrailed 3 Cornish choughs.

2. GIVEN.—No date given. Coleraine, County Londonderry.
Crest—An arm vambraced, embowed, holding a mullet.
Arms—A chevron gules, between, in chief 3 mullets in fess, and in base a lion ramp.

3. LECKY.—1634–1694. Coleraine, County Londonderry.
Crest—None.
Arms—A chevron between 3 mullets.

4. O'DONAGHY and McDONAGHY.—1776–1801. Coleraine Churchyard.
Crest—A cubit arm, grasping a dagger.
Arms—A chevron between, in chief 2 lions ramp. combatant, and in base a boar passant.

5. PATRICK.—1733. Coleraine, County Londonderry.
Crest—A buck trippant.
Arms—3 hounds courant.

6. PERCY.—No date. Coleraine Churchyard, County Londonderry.
Crest—Issuant from a tower a demi-lion ramp. holding a flag.
Arms—3 castles or towers.
Supporters—2 sea-horses.

7. RAMMAGE.—No date. Coleraine Churchyard, County Londonderry.
Crest—A unicorn's head couped.
Arms—A fess ragulé between 3 unicorns' heads couped.

8. TODD.—1736. Coleraine, County Londonderry.
Crest—An arm vambraced, embowed, grasping a dagger.
Arms—A fess between 3 hearts.
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9. BUCHANNAN.—1697. Dungiven Old Church, County Londonderry.
Crest—A dexter hand appaumée holding a fish.
Arms—A lion rampant, within a bordure fleury.
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10. CAHAN.—No date. Dungiven Old Church, County Londonderry.
Crest—A lion passant.
Arms—Quarterly 1st a lion rampant. 2nd a garb. 3rd a fish naiant. 4th a galley.
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11. McSPARRIN.—No date. Dungiven, County Londonderry.
Crest—A dove volant, holding an olive branch in its beak.
Arms—A garb. In base a sickle.
Supporters—Dexter a lion ramp. ; sin. an eagle.
Motto—Pro patria.
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12. CARY.—1716. Dungiven Old Church, County Londonderry.
Crest—A swan.
Arms—On a fess (arg.?) 3 cinquefoils. In sinister chief, a swan.
Motto—Sine macule.
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13. FANNIN.—No date. Dungiven Old Church, County Londonderry.
Crest—A bird.
Arms—A chevron betw. 3 birds (arg.?).
Motto—Solo in Deo spes.
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14. HOLLIDAY.*—No Date. Dungiven, County Londonderry.
Crest—An eagle's head erased.
Arms—A bugle horn, stringed (arg.?) in chief 3 mullets in fess.
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15. JOHNSTON.—No date. Dungiven, County Londonderry.
Crest—A dexter hand, coupé at the wrist holding a dagger.
Arms—3 hearts.
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16. CHAD.—1696. Old Bridge, Belfast, County Antrim.
Crest—None.
Arms—On a bend coupé (arg.?), between 3 cinquefoils, as many cinquefoils.

(To be continued.)

* See also Holliday, from Killowen Old Church, County Londonderry, Journal for 1896, page xxvi., No. 9.

Irish Church Plate.



 I wish to bring under the notice of those who read these pages, that I am at present engaged in collecting full particulars of the Church Plate of this country, of ALL DENOMINATIONS; and I shall be particularly obliged for any information that is kindly sent to me, with *verbatim* copies of the Inscriptions and of the "Hall," or other marks, on the several articles, as well as information of their *height* and *diameter* in inches, and, when convenient, their *weight* in ounces and pennyweights. Photographs or sketches of Chalices are also requested, and information whether they are silver, or plated, or pewter, or other metal.

The constant sale of ancient Church Plate, and its loss from one cause or another, make it very desirable that a list with the above information should be prepared and published.

I am aware that many Chalices, &c., of ancient date are in possession of private families, and I am particularly anxious to be furnished with an account of these.

I may add that I have already on hand the particulars of over 200 different sets of Church Plate, belonging to the Church of Ireland and the Roman Catholic Church and to private individuals, and dating as far back as the year 1494.

It is my intention to give Illustrations of the oldest and most remarkable examples that come under my notice.

PHILIP D. VIGORS, Col.

Holloden, Bagenalstown,

Jan., 1898.

REPORTS FROM COUNTIES.

COUNTY ANTRIM.

Ballymoney Parish, Diocese of Connor.

[From Surgeon Lieut.-Colonel J. Greene, A.M.S., Dublin.]

‘In the churchyard’ :—

“Sacred | to the memory of | The Very Revd. WILLIAM GREENE | formerly | Rector of St. Olave London | and Dean of Achonry | also for 13 years | Rector of Ballymoney | and Precentor of Connor | He died 13th January, 1843, | in the 76th year of his age | and | on the 22nd October, 1854, | ELIZABETH | Relict of the said | Very Revd. Dean GREENE | aged 83 years | also on the 25 April, 1858, | JANE GREENE | fourth Daughter of the above.” *

“In humble submission | to the will of God and trusting in | the merits of her Redeemer | Here sleeps in peace the body of | ANNE GREENE, third Daughter of | ROBERT HALLIDAY, Esqr., and beloved wife of | WILLIAM FRANCIS GREENE | She died 17th April, 1845, | in the 26th year of her age | Here also are deposited the mortal remains | of WILLIAM FRANCIS GREENE | second son of the late | Very Revd. DEAN GREENE | who departed this life at his residence | 42 Belvidere Place, Dublin, | on the 5th March, 1864.”

Duneane Parish.

We are indebted to Robert Cochrane, Esq., F.S.A., for the following, for which we beg to thank him. It appeared in one of the daily papers, and was extracted therefrom by him for our Journal :—

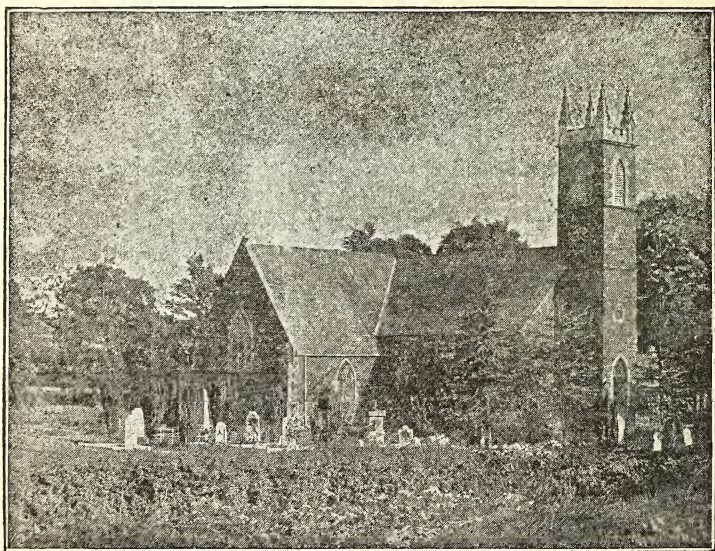
“A curious epitaph. Inscriptions on tombstones are always receivable as evidence of pedigree. An inquiry as to the heir-at-law of that interesting personality, the late Mr. John Carey, of Toomebridge, County Antrim,

* DEAD GREENE was the eldest son of ROBERT GREENE, of Dublin (by his first wife, JULIANA JUDGE), who was the eldest son of WILLIAM NASSAU GREENE, of Carlow, the third son of GODFREY GREENE, of Greenville, Co. Kilkenny.

remembered for having erected a Temple of Liberty in that county, has led to the discovery of a remarkable epitaph, which was referred to in this column yesterday. The epitaph is inscribed on a headstone in Duneane Churchyard, County Antrim. Here it is :—

“ Designed and erected by JOHN CAREY, of Clougher, Duneane, in memory of his father, who died in 1833, at 70 ; of his mother MARGARET, who died in July, 1845, at 76 ; of his brothers, JAMES and WILLIAM, who both fell by fever in the fatal November of 1839, respectively 45 and 36 years. Biography of JOHN CAREY. He was born on the 15th day of June, 1800 ; died ——. In his life he was most ingenious, persevering, and benevolent ; in death an example to all for those great moral virtues. Lineage of JOHN CAREY—A very ancient race variously settled in York and Devon ; England and Scotland, with Irish branches at Innishowen and Dungiven ; renowned for courage, equity, and learning ; honoured with many eminent State offices ; elevated to the several peerages of Hudson and Falkirk, Monmouth and Devon ; claiming kindred with the highest ranks of the empire, and a nuptial affinity with the Crown itself since the sixteenth century. Decus Priscus. See Burke's Landed Gentry.”

Parish of Glenavy, including Camlin and Tullyrusk.



‘Glenavy church, built in 1812, cost £450 according to Erck ; but Mr. Ewart gives the date of consecration 1814, and the cost £1,680—a wide

difference from Erck, who gives the date of the glebe-house as 1819, and the cost £800.

The following notes are taken from Mr. Ewart's handbook, 1886 :—

‘Incumbent—RevD. CHAS. WATSON, A.M., ind. 1885.

‘Curate—RevD. WILLIAM MUNCE, M.A., appd. 1885.

‘This parish was formerly called Lynavy, or the “Glen of the River”; it is bounded on the west by Lough Reagh.

‘The date of the union of the above three parishes is uncertain, but from a Regal Visitation book it appears the union existed in 1633.

‘The old church of Glenavy had neither tower nor spire. Its porch bore the date 1644. The wards of the key of this parish church form the initials of the Revd. Ed. Cupples, the vicar, in 1812, when the present church was built. A transept was added to it in 1863, costing £440.’

‘The church of Camlin or Crumlin is a venerable ruin, overgrown with ivy; and is situated on the verge of the parish, on a precipitous bank overhanging the river of Crumlin, being distant about quarter of a mile from that town. It is seventy-seven feet long, and twenty-three wide. Although the present floor is on a level with the adjacent ground, the original one appears to have been much beneath it; for there are arches and niches running along the walls, and the present floor rises to the top of them, at a short distance from the roof. The windows are immediately above these arches: that on the east is a long, narrow aperture. A few individuals still continue to bury in the graveyard.

‘There are no remarkable monuments belonging to any of these churches.

‘The chalice of the communion-table, which is of silver, has the following inscription :—

*“This plate was given to ye Church of Glenavy,
by the Officers of ye Queen’s Regiment of
Horse, commanded by ye Hon^{ble} Major-General
SIR JOHN LANIER, in the yeare 1690.”*

“In honorem Ecclesiae Anglicanae.”

‘When Duke Schomberg was stationed at Lisburn, a detachment of his army was quartered at Glenavy, and being well treated by the inhabitants, this chalice appears to have been given in acknowledgment.’

‘The records of the union are: a registry of baptisms, marriages, burials, and acts of vestry, in one volume, commencing in the year 1707; a registry in parchment, of baptisms and marriages commencing in the year 1813; and a book, containing the acts of vestry, commencing in the year 1814. The registry of burials is still continued in the old book of 1707. These records are kept in the church, under lock and key.

'PARISH OF CAMLIN.

'The Roman Catholic chapel is a neat modern building (1816), 60 feet long by 30 wide; and is situated in the townland of Ballymacricket, within half a-mile of the town of Glenavy. The Rev. PATRICK BLANEY is the priest. This chapel was built about 15 years ago, by subscription; to which the Marquis of Hertford and the Protestants of the union liberally contributed.'

'The church of TULLYRUSK stood in the townland of that name, being distant from Glenavy about three miles. There is an extensive and well-enclosed churchyard in which the Protestant dissenters and Roman Catholics chiefly bury.'

Note.—Mr. Ewart says no part of this church now remains except the foundation. It was 62 feet long and 18 feet wide.

'LIST OF INCUMBENTS OF THE UNION, FROM THE YEAR 1622.'

"MEREDITH GWYLLIMS, 1622	ANTHONY WELSH, 1728
*LEMUEL MATTHEWS, 1680	CONWAY BENNING, 1763."
ALEXANDER MOOR, 1685	
"ROBERT QUAILE, 1690	JOHN PHIPPS, 1770
GEORGE WILKINS, 1707	HENRY REYNETT, 1777
BENJAMIN GATFIELD, 1716	SAM. DUBOURDIEU, 1780
ANTHONY ROGERS, 1724	EDWARD CUPPLES."

[Mason.]

'In addition to the above, Mr. Ewart gives Rev. ROSS JEBB, A.M., 1864; Rev. E. JOHNSON SMYTH, A.M., 1852, and the following curates:—

"CURATES.	"CURATES.
Rev. GEO. WILKINS, 1707	Rev. EDWARD CUPPLES, 1801
" JOHN LENNENS, 1713	" DANIEL BELL, 1833
" BENJ. GATFIELD, 1716	" DOUGLAS W. TEAPE
" GEO. ROGERS, 1725	" J. TWIBELL, 1850
" A. JONES, 1732	" E. P. ROE, 1852
" RALPH CUMINE, 1735	" JAMES MASHALL, 1854
" ALEXR. STEWART, 1746	" W. COTTER, 1856
" GEORGE TAYLOR, 1749	" S. ANDERSON, 1859
" ARTHUR TAYLOR, 1759	" J. WHITESIDE
" JAS. FORD, 1762	" R. IRVINE, 1860
" CHR. M'ALLESTER, 1764	" F. COOPER, 1860
" †DAVID GORDON, 1779	" W. JOHNSON-SMYTH, 1867

* 'This gentleman was afterwards Archdeacon of Down, and Vicar-General of the dioceses of Down and Connor: and was deprived in the year 1693, by the celebrated Lisburn Commission, upon which he published a long and learned argument in 4to. in the year 1704.—*Quod vide.*'

+ Mr. Watson gives Sam. Dubourdieu as Vicar in 1780.—[Ed.]

"CURATES.

Rev. C. W. HARDING, 1868
 „ J. H. BENNETT, 1872
 „ H. HARE, 1874
 „ J. LESLIE, 1876
 „ A. S. MELVILLE, 1876

"CURATES.

Rev. WM. MOORE, 1878
 „ WILLIAM MURDOCK, 1884
 „ WILLIAM MINICE, 1885
 „ JOHN R. SIDES, 1888
 „ CHAS. F. NEWELL, 1891."

'MODERN CHURCH PLATE.

'A Communion Service of cup, flagon, and paten was presented by Captain Dowglass, J.P., of Golrana, in 1867. The flagon bears the following inscription :—

" This Flagon with the Chalice and Paten was presented by CAPTAIN DOWGLASS, of Golrana, and his family, to the Parish of Glenavy, in memory of his sister and child."

'The oldest parochial record—the Parish Register—begins in 1709.'

'Mr. Ewart says of Camlin or "Crumlin": it has a well-kept graveyard [A rare exception to the general run of those that have come under our observation throughout Ireland—ED.], covering half an acre. The church was destroyed in the wars of James II., and the latest interesting event recorded concerning it, is that of an ordination held in it by Bishop Jeremy Taylor, in 1661, when Andrew Acton was admitted to deacon's orders.'

For a full description of these parishes, we would refer our readers to "The Story of the United Parishes of GLENVAVY, CAMLIN, and TULLYRUSK," by the present Vicar, the Rev. Charles Watson, M.A., B.D., where much of interest will be found, and we heartily endorse the words of the late Bishop Reeves in a letter on the subject of this little work, written to its author in 1890, in which he says :—

"If only the majority of the clergy of the united diocese would exert themselves with spirit, industry, and benevolence, there would be produced a compilation which would, in the loving hands of LAVENS EWART, set this diocese beyond all comparison in the literary and constitutional rank of A 1 in the diocesan literature of the Irish Church."

Let us again urge on our clerical brethren the *great* value of such parochial "stories"—it can scarcely be estimated; and surely amongst our University degree men, of whom we rejoice to think we have still so many in every diocese, we cannot lack

the small amount of literary capacity to put together what is interesting and of value in our parishes, neither can the want of time be pleaded, except in cases few and far between.

We for our part will be glad to give any information that is asked us, that can assist the clergy to carry out this much to be desired work.

‘On a Huguenot tombstone at Lisburn’ :—

“Luge Viator et ut ille dum vita manebit suspice cælum,
despice mundum, respice finem.”

TRANSLATION.

‘Mourn, O traveller, and do thou also, while life shall last,
turn thine eyes to Heaven, despise the world, contemplate
thine end.’

Parish of Ramoan [Modan’s Fort].

‘Mason says there is not any monastic ruin or ancient church in this parish, nor any monument or inscription.

‘There is a curious Irish manuscript in the possession (1816) of CHARLES MACGILDOWNEY, Esq. It is an heroic poem, and the Irish characters are admirably written.

‘The parish church of Ramoan is situated within one mile eastward of Ballycastle, on the inland road leading to Colerain. The ancient church, which was in a ruinous state, was taken down in May, 1812.

‘The second church is that of Ballycastle, to which the writer (the Rev. LUKE CONOLLY) is chaplain. It has a handsome front of cut stone, with a spire 100 feet high; the interior is stained and painted. It was commenced in 1752, and finished in 1756, at the sole expense of Mr. Boyd, great grandfather to the present (1816) proprietor.’

Ramoan Church—Diocese of Connor.

‘St. James’s Church,* built in 1848, adjoining the old church, which was twice destroyed by the Danes.

‘The east window is in memory of the Right Rev. RICHARD MANT, D.D., Bishop of Down and Connor [who died in 1849 (?)]; the other windows are in memory of CHARLES M’GILDOWNEY, of Clare Park, HUGH BOYD and ROSETTA his wife; the Venble. THOMAS B. MONSELL, Archdeacon of Derry; and the Rev. CHARLES HENRY MONSELL. There are also memorial tablets in memory of DANIEL M’NEILE, of Clare, and the Rev.

* Is said to have cost £1,800.

WILL. BOYD; Captain JOHN RALPH BLOIS, R.N.; Sir JOHN AUGUSTUS HUGH BOYD, Bart., R.N.; Sir HUGH HARLEY BOYD, Bart., and CATHERINE EMILY BOYD; the Rev. MICHAEL HARRISON, and BRYCE DUNLOP.'

'The old parish church, founded by St. Columba in the sixth century, was the scene of a massacre by the rebels in 1641.

'The present church is generally considered one of the handsomest churches in the diocese.'

'FORMER VICARS.

'Rev. MICHAEL HARRISON, died 1765.

'Rev. CHARLES HILL, A.B., ind. 1802.

'(The Rev. DR. NEILL was rector during Mr. Hill's incumbency.)

'The Rev. LESLIE CREESY, 1831.

'The Rev. J. R. PHILLOT, 1835.

'The Rev. J. B. S. MONSELL.

'The Rev. W. HENRY BIEDERMANN, Vicar of Egham, Surrey, exchanged with Mr. Monsell, and was instituted Rector of Ramoan in 1853; he resigned the parish in 1877.

'The Rev. THOMAS COX was ind. in 1879, and still holds the living.'

[From Mr. L. Ewart's book.]

'This churchyard is said to contain some very ancient monuments. [We greatly wish the incumbent would kindly copy them for us.—ED.] This statement as to ancient monuments which we have lately received, is altogether at variance from that in the Rev. Luke Conolly's account as published in 1816 by Mason, where he states that "there is no monastic ruin or ancient church in the parish, *nor any monument or inscription.*"'

'The following list of incumbents, taken from the First Fruits' Records, extends much further back than Mr. Ewart's list':—

"PATRICIUS TALLYS collatus fuit per Robm. Dunen. et Connoren, Epm. ad Vicar de Ramoan, Culfetrin, et Loghgil, 2^o die Sept., 1614.

"DANIEL M'NEILE, admiss. fuit 12^o die Septembr 1661 ad Vicar, unit. de Ramoan, Culphetric et Loghgreele, in Dioc. Connoren, non taxat.

"DANIEL M'NEALE institut fuit 9^o die mensis Decembr An Dni 1668 ad Rector de Laide £10 et Vicar de Ramoan 40s. Culfeighton et Armoy.

"ARCHIBALD M'NEALE Cler. collat fuit 24^o die May, 1681, et in Vicarias de Ramoan 40s. et Culfeighton 40s. Dioc. et Com. prd.

"ARCHIBALD STEWART Cler. collat fuit. 23 die 7 bris 1702 ad Vicar de Ramoan 40s.

"EDWARD MATTHEWS 17 Aug. 1717, ad Vicar de Ramoan in Com. Antrim, et Dioc. Connoren.

"Rev. FRANC. HUTCHISON Cl. collatus fuit, 15th die Decembr 1720, ad Vicar de Ramoan.

"MICHAEL HARRISON, collated 9 Sept., 1741, Vicar of Ramoan.

"CHARLES HILL, A.B., collated 14 February, 1785, V. Ramoan."

'In the upper part of the townland of Ardagh, in this parish, is the grave of the last chieftain of the great MACQUILLAN family; he was slain by a soldier of MacDonnell's clan.

"No fond memorials o'er it rise,
No stone proclaims the hero's tomb
But light the green earth on it lies,
And tufts of wild flowers round it bloom."

[Mason.]

COUNTY ARMAGH.

Loughgall Parish.

[From Mr. C. J. Hobson, Carlow, 1897.]

'Loughall is known far and near as a model village, and its churchyard is kept in splendid style; the entrance to the churchyard is through what was originally the door of the parish church; part of the walls are still standing. In 1641 some terrible events took place within the walls of this old church.

'In the churchyard Protestant and Roman Catholics have equal burial rights, but the burying-ground is now chiefly used by Protestants.

'The Cope monument is situated about the centre of this churchyard, and is of the altar pattern. The inscriptions are engraved on four panels let into each side of the monument; above the bishop's epitaph is a mitre, whilst on the opposite side there is a coat-of-arms.'

'West panel':—

"Sacred to the memory of The Right Reverend Doctor
WALTER COPE Lord Bishop of Leighlin and Ferns
who departed this life 31st July 1787 aged 85 years."

'South panel':—

"Sacred to the memory of ANNE ACHESON wife of the Right
Rev. Doctor WALTER COPE who departed this life 28th
July 1786."

'East panel':—

"Sacred to the memory | of | ANNA GARLAND COPE | of
Drumilly, daughter of | NICHOLAS ARCHDALL COPE
Esqr. and ARABELLA | his wife | and widow of NATHANIEL
GARLAND Esq. | of Michaelston Hall, Essex | who departed
this life 4th May, 1867 | aged 78 years."

‘North panel’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of NICHOLAS ARCHDALL COPE | of Drumilly, who departed this life 24th January 1820 aged 68 years. | Also ARABELLA MEADE his wife | niece to the Lord Bishop of Leighlin and Ferns | who departed this life 26th July 1844 | aged 90 years. | This monument is erected by their | affectionate daughter, ANNE GARLAND COPE | and to the memory of her Brother | SAMUEL WALTER COPE | who departed this life 1st February 1836 | aged 51 years.”

“WILLIAM WAUGH LEEPER, M.D., | died May 16th, 1894, | aged 72 years.”

“ELANOR LEEPER (*sic*) | died April 15th, 1865, | aged 6 years. | WILLIAM J. LEEPER | died March 18th, 1871, | aged 11 years.”

“Rev. SILAS E. WILSON | died July 6th, 1895, | aged 59 years.”

‘The Leeper monument is of the table pattern, the inscriptions being engraved on each side. Dr. Leeper lived for many years in the adjoining village, and enjoyed great reputation as a doctor in the surrounding districts.’

‘The Rev. Silas Wilson was his son-in-law, and was minister of third Armagh Presbyterian Church.’

†
I.H.S.

“HERE LYETH Y BODY OF Y REV PAUL
TALLE WHO DEPARTED Y LIFE IVNE Y 24th
1766 AGED 39 YEARS.”

[Small headstone.]

‘The only information I could find out about this Rev. gentleman was the fact that he was a Roman Catholic Priest.’

“1791—Erected For the use of THOMAS MCGUHASH of Ballyrone.”
[Small headstone.]

I.H.S.

"PATRICK SHEALS died April 22nd 1848 Aged 102 years
his wife MARY died 1838 Aged 70 years his son
FRANCIS and his daughter BRIDGET died Feby 1832
aged he 23 she 25 years."

[A headstone.]

"In remembrance of JANE PILLOR widow of The Rev.
T. HONES PILLOR Rector of Westport County of Mayo
who fell asleep in Jesus 30th March 1881."

"Sacred to the memory of The Rev. SAVAGE HALL Rector
of this Parish for eight years who departed this life the
28th day of December 1851 aged 53 years."

"AILEEN MILLAR Feb. 18th 1852. "Let not your heart
be troubled ye believe in God believe also in me"
He whom she loved best raised this record. WILLIAM
MOORE MILLAR died May 20 1886."

[Marble headstone with chains.]

"To ye memory of | WILLIAM MARSHALL of Derrycrow Private
in the Lough | gall Volunteers a youth | of unexampled
Piety and | sweetness of disposition who | on Thursday
the 27th day of | July 1780 exchanged this | *FAIL (*sic*)
and painful life for | A Blessed immortality in ye | 21st
year of his age. | LIDIA MARSHALL died on | March the
23rd 1769 aged 40 years."

[A small headstone.]

Newry.

'This town possesses two churches of the Church of Ireland—St. Patrick's, on the summit of High-street Hill, built in 1578 by Sir Nicholas Bagnal, as appears by an inscription over the west (?) door [See "Memorials of the Dead," vol. iii., p. 62]; it is said to have been the first Protestant Church erected [in Ireland], the others having been Roman Catholic Churches ?

'It was destroyed in the rebellion of 1641; half of it was repaired after the Restoration of King Charles II., and the second half in 1720. It is now a chapel of ease to the parish church, St. Mary's.

'St. Mary's Church in Hill-street is a very handsome edifice of hammered granite, in the Gothic style, flanked with buttresses. The first stone was laid in October, 1810, and the church was opened for Divine Service 21st

* Evidently intended for frail.

November, 1819. Its tower and steeple is 190 feet in height. Its length is 75 feet, and width 51 feet, exclusive of the chancel.

'On the outside of the tower under the clock, is a mitred abbot, in his alb, sitting between two yew trees, sculptured in bas-relief. There are several monuments inside, amongst which is one of Sir Trevor Corry, one surmounted by a bust in white marble of the Rt. Hon. Isaac Corry, M.P., and one a full length marble statue of General Davis, with Fame sounding her trumpet, and a variety of chastely sculptured figures. The cost of this church was £14,000, made up by bequests and donations, one of £4,000 and two of £1,000 each, and others.

'Newry anciently possessed a fine abbey, dedicated to St. Mary and St. Patrick, founded in 1157 by Maurice MacLoughlin, King of Ireland. It was burnt down in 1162. No portion of the building now remains except the abbot's house (the castle of Arthur Bagnal).

'Several fragments of stones with heads and other figures rudely sculptured on them, are to be seen in some of the adjoining buildings; these formerly belonged to the buildings of the abbey.

'The ruins of the abbey were removed about fifty-seven years ago (1790); amongst them were found vast heaps of *bones* and some fragments of stones curiously carved, stone fountains of rude workmanship, a small brass spur ornamented with carving, and a quantity of cannon and musket balls.'

Tynan Parish.

[From Miss Elinor M. Stronge, Tynan Abbey, Co. Armagh, 1897.]

OMNIVM MERORE OBIIT XV. DIE MARTII AN. DO. 1631
 JACIET SVB HOC MARMORE CORPVS HENRICI HOVENDEN FILII
 [broken bones]

'HENRY HOVENDON, of Dungannon, appears in 1596. Witnessed Tyrone's submission in 1603. Was the Earl's foster-brother, and included with him in royal pardon; attainted in 1612, having fled with the Earl. His son,

ROBERT HOVENDON, in 1611, had a grant from ye Crown in the barony of Dungannon, now in the parish of Pomeroy. He was married to the widow of Turlogh Oge O'N., prior to December, 1613. In 1614 he is styled as "of Kenarde." In 1628, held four townlands in Tynan parish under ye See. His stepson, Sir Phelim, assigned to him the lands of Ballinametagh, &c. Their children were:—

'HENRY, dead before 1641; 163— tombstone; HENRY.

'ALEXANDER, killed 1644.

'CATHLEEN (OR CATHERINE) NY NEALE, niece of Sir Turlough O'Neill, of the Fews. Her first husband was Turlogh Oge, son of Sir Henry Oge O'Neill, by Catharine Butler. Both father and son were slain by O'Dogherty in Donegall, June 20th, 1608. The son had, by her, Sir Phelim Roe, of 1641.

'WALTER, held Lishae in 1644, and styled *Captain*.

'He had a son, CHARLES.'

'These notes were made by the late Bishop Reeves, who was at one time Rector of Tynan.'

THE BODY OF ANNE COWELL

HERE LYETH WHO [D]
YED YE 29 OF FEB: ANNO DO: 1625.

'ROBERT COWELL, ob. 1628; ANNE COWELL, ob. 28 Feb., 1625. And had issue:—

'HENRY C., born 1626, killed 1641.

'*HUGH ECHLIN, s. of Bp. of Down, killed in 1641; MAGDALEN C. And had issue:—

'HUGH ECHLIN.'

'The Cowells were ancestors (through the Echlins) of the present owner of Tynan, Sir J. Calvert Stronge, Bart., and were the first of the family who settled in the neighbourhood.

'Kenardi is the old name for Caledon, Co. Tyrone; and Ballinametagh is the present Woodpark, the residence of Acheson St. George, Esq.'

"HERE · LYETH [Y^E] BODY OF · WILLIA[M]
WALKER · LEAT · CLARK · IN TYNEN ·
WHO DECEASED THE 7 OF OCT 1638."

* This Hugh Echlin's sister Margaret was wife of Rev. Robert Maxwell, Rector of Tynan.

COUNTY CARLOW.

Aghade.

‘ Church built in ——— cost ———.

‘ Lewis, writing in 1837, says “The chapel is a plain old building in indifferent repair, and is about to be newly roofed, for which the E. C. have granted £591.”

‘ A small chancel has been quite recently added. Ryan gives the following inscription. On granite cut in the rudest manner in Roman capitals’ :—

I.H.S.

“ HERE LIES THE BODY OF DENIS DONOHUE

[SON OF NICHOLAS DONOHUE] WHO DEP

ARTED THIS LIFE THE | 31st DAY OF MARCH

IN THE 27th YEAR OF HIS AGE, 1738.

DEUS SIT ILLI PROPITIUS.”

‘ There are several other tombstones in granite of an old date, but the inscriptions contain nothing worthy of note.

‘ Within a handsome railed enclosure planted with evergreens, is a raised monument on which are to be found these words’ :—

“ In memory of the Rev. HENRY ST. GEORGE, late of Altamont, in the County of Carlow, during forty years rector of this parish, who died May the 30th, 1831, in the 88th year of his age. In every station of his life, he executed its respective duties with judgment, diligence, and fidelity. The purity of his faith, the rectitude of his conduct, and his unwearied labours in the pastoral office testified his piety towards God. His kindness, humility, and candour, with his exemplary attention to the wants, temporal as well as spiritual, of his fellow creatures, proved his benevolence towards MAN.

Reader ! behold the upright for the end of *that* man is peace.”

‘ Dr. Ryan puts a foot note after the above.

‘ It may be observed, that possibly this and the following inscriptions may be here preserved when decayed, or obliterated in their first situation.

‘ He also says that the families of BAILLIE and TOMLINSON have tombstones here.’

Ballyknockan* Churchyard at Leighlinbridge.

“ Erected by PATRICK KELLY of Leighlin Bridge in memory of his Father THOMAS KELLY, who departed this life March

* The town of the little hill (Joyce, 93 and 381).

28th 1847, aged 105 years. Also his Mother
ELNOR [*sic*] KELLY, who departed this life March
28th 1835 aged 68 years. Also their son PATRICK
KELLY who died August 4th 1855 aged 65 years.’”

[An upright stone.]

Carlow Churchyard.

[From Lord Walter FitzGerald.]

‘In the first vol. of the Report of the Memorials of the Dead, Ireland, and at p. 140, is given a very free translation of the Latin inscription to the memory of the French clergyman, Benjamin Daillon, who died in 1709. It may interest the readers of the Reports to have a literal translation of this curious inscription, and so I enclose one which I obtained from the Rev. John Finlay, Dean of Leighlin:—

“Here is placed BENJAMIN DAILLON, a Gaul sprung from a noble family in Britany. A learned priest of the Reformed church, who had been for a long time imprisoned on account of his religion and was at length expatriated, who after 79 years, in great part spent in pious studies and Gospel work, breathed out his pure soul four days after the death of his wife PAULINE, not buried here.

Tell me, learned spirit of the Muses the pledge of love,
tell me if they forbid fame to perish with death, if
a captive contending in the fort of Christ, and an exile
desires to adorn this city with his remains—why should
unconquerable valour, and genius, and arts, and the
honour of piety, be at the same time entirely covered
in the dusk?

Although the city shall have been forgetful yet shall he not
fade from Olympus; he shall live here by my art, and the
stone shall proclaim it.

This man died on the 3rd of January in the year of our
Lord 1709.”

Dunleckney Parish.

‘EXTRACTS FROM THE PARISH REGISTERS.

‘Monumental inscriptions, &c.’:—

‘EXTRACT FROM DUNLECKNEY AND AUGHA PARISH REGISTERS.’

“Feb. 20, 1791. ROBERT ROE of the Queen’s County was married to
DOROTHEA BURROUGHS daughter to WILLIAM BURROUGHS of
Moneybeg.”

“1792, Jan. 18. A daughter of WILLIAM BURROUGHS by his wife
baptized by name of ELIZABETH.”

" THOMAS son of THOMAS BURROWS by MARGARET his wife born 11 July 1803.

Baptized 17th July.

Sam : Downing."

" Oct. 13, 1793. Baptized a son of DISNEY BURROUGHS by CATHERINE his wife of Dunleckney by the name of WILLIAM."

" June 21st, 1795 (?) Baptized WILLIAM BURROUGHS."

" 1796, Aug. 23. Baptized CATHERINE daughter of WILLIAM BURROWS and MARY his wife."

" ELIZABETH ANNE daughter of BENJAMIN COOKE by ISABELLA his wife born Feb. 20."

" 1803. Baptized Feb. 24.

Sam. Downing."

" SUSANNA HANNAH daughter of the Rev. SAMUEL and ANNE DOWNING was born on Saturday 12th March and christened 27th March 1803."

" MARY ESTHER daughter of the Rev. SAMUEL and ANNE DOWNING was born June 13th and baptized 24th by S. D. (1804)."

' CHRISTENINGS.

" Elizabeth daughter of Rev. WELDON J. MOLONY and MARY his wife born Feb. 9th baptized Feb. 23rd 1806." [Page 8.]

" 1806 Nov. 23rd baptized MARY ALICIA daughter of LAMBART MOLONNY Esq. and HANNAH his wife born 11th Nov."

" STEWART WELDON JAMES son of Rev. WELDON JOHN MOLONY and MARY born Dec. 28th 1806 baptized Feb. 1st 1807."

' BURIAL.

" 1797 June 4th MR. HUMPHREY from near Carlow. Buried."

" WILLIAM son of ROBERT MULHALLEN and LEAH his wife, born March 19th baptised March 26th 1807 by Rev. T. M. Vigers."

" 1805. JOHN son of PHILIP NEWTON Esq. and SARAH born May 1st. Christened May 5."

" 1797, Nov. 5th. Moneybeg. Baptized BARTHOLOMEW BEAUCHAMP son of PHILIP NEWTON Esq. and SARAH his wife."

' MONUMENTS.

' On the floor of the old church at Dunleckney, County Carlow ' :—

' In the burial-ground at the old church ' :—

"To the memory of Mrs. SARAH NEWTON Wife to PHILIP NEWTON Esq. of Dunleckney House who departed this life on 17th January 1832 aged 61 years.
Also beneath this stone lies the body of PHILIP NEWTON Esq. of Dunleckney House, and husband of Mrs. SARAH NEWTON he departed this life October 7th 1833, aged 64 years."

' Mural tablet on south wall of the old church of Dunleckney, County Carlow ' :—

" In memory of
BEAUCHAMP BARTHOLOMEW NEWTON
BORN 5th NOV^R 1798
DEPARTED THIS LIFE
ON THE 21st AUGUST 1850
IN THE HOPE OF A BLESSED RESURRECTION."

' Small mural slab on south wall of the old church of Dunleckney, Co. Carlow ' :—

" In memory of
WALTER NEWTON Esqr. of Dunleckney
who died on the 23rd August 1853
Aged 63 years."

' Near it ' :—

" In memory of
HENRIETTA MARIA NEWTON
the loved wife of
PHILIP JOCELYN NEWTON
who died at Dunleckney
on 14th day of December 1843
Aged 33 years.
REV. 14 chap. 13 v."

' In a walled enclosure in the churchyard at Dunleckney, Co. Carlow ' :—

" Here lieth the remains of
BEAUCHAMP BAGENAL ESQ
WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE ON THE
DAY OF MAY IN THE YEAR OF OUR
LORD 1802, AGED 67 YEARS.
AND ORDERED THAT HE MIGHT BE BURRIED NEXT
HIS GRAND DAUGHTER CATHERINE NEWTON."

“ KATHERINE NEWTON
Daughter of PHILIP and SARAH NEWTON
Died the 28th day of November 1800
aged not fourteen.”

“ Nevertheless, it may not be an unprofitable lesson to say something of her disposition, which was a ready cheerfull unremitted wish to be of use and she industriously contrived to be so, oftener than anybody could expect. Particularly to her grandfather, who through Gratitude and Justice here declares that he believes she was the best Child he ever knew, except her mother they united in making life even desirable to him tho labouring under great Infirmary the loss of such a one will be felt as long as we have feeling. But the recollection of every action and Expression of hers from the time she began to have sense to her last hour gives us confidence to trust that she is happy.”

‘ Flat tombstone alongside the last ’:—

“ MISS ELEANOR NEWTON
Departed this life the 16 of March 1814 aged 11 years 8 months
also

In memory of MRS. SARAH
ANNE NEWTON who departed
this life the 25 Day of May
1828 aged 16 years.”

“ Miss C. NEWTON buried Dec. 4th 1800.”

[Par. Reg.]

‘ CHRISTENINGS.

“ 1793, May 26. Baptized a daughter of JOHN STEWART Esq. and MARY his wife by name HENRIETTA.”

“ 1791, 16 Oct. Baptized a son of the Rev. HENRY STEWART by SOPHIE his wife by name WILLIAM.”

“ 1772 (?), Oct. 10. Baptized a son of the Rev. HENRY STEWART by SOPHIE his wife by name BAGENAL.”

“ 1793, Nov. 7th. Baptized a daughter of the Rev. HENRY STEWART by SOPHIE [his wife] by name of SOPHIE.”

“ 1795, August 9th. Baptized a son of the Rev. HENRY STEWART by SOPHIE his wife by the name of HUGH.”

"1798, 23rd May. Baptized WILLIAM RICHARD son of JOHN STEWART Esq. and MARY his wife."

(Swift.)

"MARTHA daughter of JAMES RAWSON Esq. and REBECCA born July 20th. Baptized July 24 1806." (?)

(Page 9.)

"1807. Baptized JAMES son of JAMES THOMAS Esq. and ALICE BRADLY, born Jan. 19, bap. Jan. 21.—Weldon J. Molony, Vicar." (Page 10.)

"JACOB son of WILLIAM and JANE TYNDALL born Aug. 30, baptized 3 September 1804, by Weldon J. Molony, Vicar."

"1793, Oct. 27.—Baptized a son of WILLIAM TYNDALL of Leighlin Bridge weaver by Emelia his wife by the name of JONATHAN."

"1797. MARY daughter of WILLIAM TYNDALL and AMELIA his wife, Baptized July 23."

"Baptized WILLIAM son of WILLIAM TYNDALL and of JANE his wife, born 10 Dec. 1806, Baptized January 1807, 25 Jan."

"JOSEPH son of MATHEW and MARY WELD was born February 28th and baptized privately 28 February 1804."—S. D. [Sam. Downing.]

"1792, Oct. 23. Baptized a son of RICHARD WELD Esq. by HANNAH his wife by name MATHEW."

"JOSEPH son of MATHEW WELD and MARY born April 28, baptized May 5, 1805."

(Page 6.)

"BEAUCHAMP BAGENAL Esq. buried May 4th (?) 1802."

'In the old church, on the south wall':—

"BENEATH THIS STONE LIE THE REMAINS
OF JANE MARY BATHE WHO DIED MAY
2ND 1867 AGED 51 YEARS."

"Here lies the body of **WALTER BLACKNEY** of Ballyellen for some years member of Parliament for the County of Carlow and J.P. for the Counties of Wexford, Kilkenny and Carlow.

Born 1st August 1775

Died 13th September 1842.

Also his son **JOHN** who died May 1819 aged 18 years.

Also Lieut. Colonel **JAMES BLACKNEY** of the Honble.

East Indian Companies Service. Born

Died 12th December 1857 aged 75 years."

"Here lyeth the body of **JAMES BLACKNEY** who departed this life twenty first of May 1742 aged 60 years.

Also the body of **MARY BLACKNEY** wife of **WALTER BLACKNEY**, she departed this life 24 June 1754 aged 32 years.

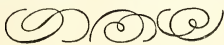
Also the body of **CATHERNE BLACKNEY** wife of **JAMES BLACKNEY** she departed this life the aged 72 years.

Also **GEORGE BLACKNEY** son of **WALTER BLACKNEY** aged 16 years, &c.

Also **WALTER BLACKNEY**, who died Sept. 27 1796, aged 83 years."

"**PHILLIS BLACKNEY** died 1782 aged 40."

"**JANE MEYLER** died August 12, 1781 aged 55."

"**HERE LYETH Y^e BODY OF MARGRET BROWNE** WHO DECEASED Y^e 17th OF JUNE ANNO DNI 1717 & IN Y^e 21st YEAR OF HER AGE. MAY SHE REST IN PEACE. AMEN. 

'On the east wall of the old church':—

"**THE REVEREND RICHARD LEE** CURATE OF THIS PARISH DIED 22 OF MAY 1850 AGED 29 YEARS."

'The following mural tablet, of white marble, is within the old church':—

"This tablet is erected by
JOHN AND HARRIETTE MACONCHY
 IN FOND MEMORY OF THEIR
 DEARLY AND MOST DESERVEDLY
 LOVED SISTER
SOPHIA VIGORS
 [SHE] DIED AT BRYANSTONE HOUSE
 CO. KILDARE
 NOV. 5. 1865.

I KNOW WHOM I HAVE BELIEVED, AND
 AM PERSUADED THAT HE IS ABLE TO KEEP
 THAT WHICH I HAVE COMMITTED UNTO HIM
 AGAINST THAT DAY.

1 THESS. 4TH 13 & 14.

2ND TIM. 1 c. 12 v.

‘ There are several tombs of the WORTHINGTONS, and others.

Fenagh Parish.

[From Denis R. Pack-Beresford, Esq.]

(*Continued from vol. iii., page 212.*)

“ Here lieth the body of EDWD EARL late of Raheen who depd.
 this life April 27th 1826 aged 68 years. Erected by his
 widow in memory of her beloved husband.”

“ Erected by THOMAS SALTER of Monmore in memory of his
 beloved wife ANNE SALTER, alias EARL, departed this life
 November the 28th 1836, aged 24 years.”

“ Here lieth the body of PHILIP BUTLER of Castlegrace who
 departed this life on the 10th day of April 1799 aged 76
 years. Also his son PHILIP BUTLER who departed this
 life on the 10th of June 1806 aged 46. Also HESTER the
 good wife of PHILIP BUTLER of Borris, who departed this
 life on the 7th of June 1847 aged 49 years, her loss was
 deeply felt by those who knew her worth.

When from the dust of death I rise
 To claim my mansion in the skies
 Even then this shall be my plea
 Jesus hath lived hath died for me.

Also PHILIP BUTLER who departed this life February 21st
 1876 aged 86 years.

Oh Death where is thy sting

Oh grave where is thy victory.—1st Cor. 15 chap. 55 verse.”

"Here lieth the body of MARY PAYNE daughter of EDWARD PAYNE of Knockmill junr. departd. this life ye 14th of May 1780 aged 4 Mo. Also EDWARD PAYNE senr. depd. 27th February 1788 aged 72 yrs. Also MARY PAYNE daughter of sd. EDWARD PAYNE junr. aged 2 yrs."

"Here lieth the body of TIMOTHY CORRAGON^N of Raharkan who departed this life the 1st of October 1786 aged 72 years. Also the body of MARGARET his wife who departed this life March 17th 1808 aged 88 years."

"Here lieth the body of JANE CORRAGON wife of WM. CORRAGON of Waterford who departed this life July the 30th 1801 aged 45 yrs. Also the body of said WILLIAM who departed this life Febr. 28th 1813 aged 68 years."

"Erected by HENRY AGAR of Milltown over his child LUKE AGAR who depd. this life Febr. ye 10th 1792 aged 3 months."

"Here lieth the body of LUKE AGAR who depd. this life Jany. — 17-7 aged 66 years. Also his wife ELIZABETH AGAR depd. October ye 6th 1798 aged 67 years."

"Underneath lie the remains of THOMAS GREGORY and ELIZABETH GREGORY alias HOWS. Also their two sons EDWARD and THOMAS. This tomb has been erected by an affectionate daughter to the memory of her aged and virtuous parents."

"Here lieth the Remains of Mrs. SARAH MEREDITH relict of the late WILLIAM MEREDITH of Templerrainey Esq. County Wicklow and daughter of the late THOS GARRETT Janeville Esq. who depd. this life the 11th day of Augst. 1822 in the 64th year of her age."

"Here lieth the body of JAMES GARRETT DOWNING who departed this life the 29th of September 1804 aged 22 years. Celo spes mea est."

"Here lieth the body of the charitable THOMAS GARRETT of Janeville Deceased August 31st 1759 aged 48 years."

Also his wife ANNE GARRETT she deceased June 20th 1768 aged 39 years. Also her daughter ANNE GARRETT she deceased August 4th 1768 aged 18 years. Also two junr. daughters."

"Erected by JOHN ROSE of the City of Dublin in memory of his parents.

Underneath lieth the Remains of MARTHA ROSE mother to the above JOHN ROSE who departed this life 29th of January 1808 aged 63 years. Also his brother JAMES ROSE who departed this life the 20th of June 1814 aged 40 years. And his father JOHN ROSE who departed this life the 6th of March 1819 aged 83 years."

"Sacred to the memory of BENJAMIN BALL who departed this life on the 5th day of April 1809 aged 71 years. Likewise of DORATHEA BALL his wife who departed this life on the 16th day of February 1811 aged 73.

To enlarge on their superior virtues would to such as were strangers to them appear extravagant. While all who were witness to them would feel it to be defective in a grateful and affectionate sense of the blessings they enjoyed in such parents. This stone is erected by their surviving children."

"Erected by THOMAS ROSE of Clonegath in memory of his beloved wife ELLEN who died 4th of September 1890 aged 70 years. Also his son HENRY who died 31st Oct. 1870 aged 22 years. And WILLIAM who died in Canada 24th of Sept. 1882 aged 31 years.

We laid them down to sleep
But not in hope forlorn
We laid them to await the change
Of the last glorious morn."

"In loving remembrance of ROBERT KEPPEL, Ballyvale, who died 2nd Decr. 1881 aged 56 years. Also his son ROBERT who died young.

Theres nothing here to court our stay
Or keep us back from home
Whilst angels beckon us away
And Jesus bids us come.

Erected by his sorrowing widow and children."

“Here lieth the body of CUTHBERT FELTUS of Hollybrook in this county Esqr. who depd. this life the 3rd day of Novr. 1799 aged 77 yrs. Here also lieth the body of Mrs. JANE FELIUS alias BLOOMFIELD his wife who depd. this life the 26th day of March 1821 aged 72 years. Here lieth the body of ADAM BLOOMFIELD FELTUS Esqr. of Hollybrook son of CUTHBERT FELTUS Esqr., who depd. this life on the 25th of May, 1849 aged 67 years.

Beloved soul while in this mortal shrine
Grace wrought thy change from mortal to divine.”

I am not perfectly certain whether the name is Felius or Feltus, as it is very hard to read in all cases.—D. R. P.-B.

“Here lieth the body of FRANCES BUTLER alias Moor who departed this life the 23rd of May 1796 aged 40 years.”

“Here lieth the body of SUSANA BUTLER alias GARRETT wife of JOHN BUTLER of Me..... County Kildare she deceased Aug.....”

“Sacred to the memory of RICHD. BUTLER late of Butlers Park County Wicklow who departed this life May 8th 1805 aged 57.

This Tomb is erected by his affectionate widow ELIZA BUTLER as a small tribute of gratitude to that best of all best characters in this life a good husband.”

In Sergeant Shee's history of the Irish Church, it is stated that £738 was expended on the glebe-house of Fenagh, but the expense of building the church was “not known.” The glebe-land consisted of 26 acres.

The Rev. Richard Radcliffe appears as incumbent in 1812, Patron, the King.

(To be continued.)

Kiltennel Parish.

[From Dr. Ryan's “History of Carlow,” 1833.]

‘One mile from Kiledmund is the ruined church of Kiltennel, situate in a wild and rude district. Two gables and one side wall, of the coarsest architecture, are standing. There is an arched entrance in the wall, about six and a-half feet high, by twelve in breadth. Ivy covers the walls, and inside is a receptacle for “holy water,” of about eighteen inches in diameter.

‘ An enclosure, or continuation of the church, stands at the east end, inside which a large ash tree is growing. The following inscription (with a coat-of-arms at top), on a slab indented in the wall, informs us of the history of this subjoined edifice ’:—

“ CAPTIN . EDMUND . BYRNE . ERECTED . THIS .
CHAPEL . AND . DOCTOR . EDMUND . BYRNE .
ARCHBISHOP . OF . DUBLIN . CONSECRATED .
Y^E SAME . IN . YE YEAR . 1709.”

‘ On a flat stone are these words ’:—

* “ Underneath this stone doth lie
As much Vertue As could Die,
Which when Alive did Vigour give
To as much Beauty as could live.
Her age was four years old, and died last Michaelmas day,
1742. Name, ANN WARREN.”

‘ Near the preceding ’:—

“ HERE LYETH THE BODY OF TERENCE BYRNE
WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE THE 86TH YEAR OF
HIS AGE 1711.”

‘ In the burial-ground may be found the following inscriptions ’:—

“ Erected by Lieutenant JOHN STONE in memory of his father
the late Lieutenant THOMAS STONE who was killed by the
rebels on the 26th day of June, 1798, aged 76 years.”

“ Erected by JOHN SINNOTT of Kiledmond in memory of his
beloved father JOHN SINNOTT, Lieutenant of Mount Leinster
Infantry, who departed this life January the 7th 1828, aged
76 years.”

COUNTY CAVAN.

No information—no Inscriptions.

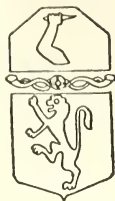
* See Ballyknockan inscriptions, vol. ii., page 11.



1641 1684
O'BRIEN
LEMENEAGH GATE



1680 1714
MACNAMARA
QUIN CHANCEL



1690 - 1710
MACMAHON
TULLA CHURCH



1640 - 1673
LORD INCHQUIN
SEAL-DUBLIN



1822
O'DAVOREN
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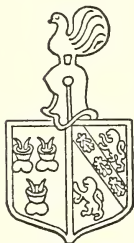
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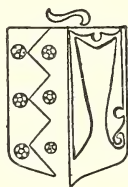
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KILLOE



1779
BURKE
FEAKLE



1660 - 1700
ROSS + NORTON
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ENNIS

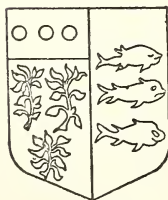


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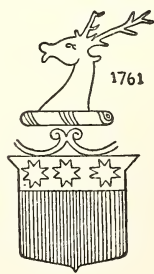


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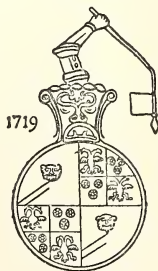
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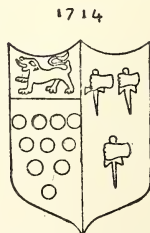
CREAGH + ROCHE
LIMERICK



1761
POWER
ENNIS



1719
PURDON
KILLALOE



1714
BRIDGEMAN + ST. JOHN
KILSEILY

CRESTS, ARMS, &c., OF COUNTY CLARE FAMILIES.

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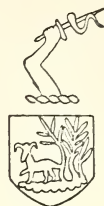
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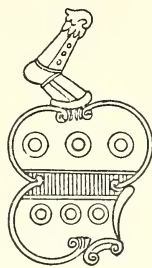
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TULLA



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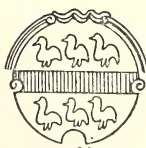
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SPAIGHT
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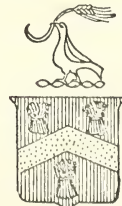
1759
BINDON
SEAL



1752
IEVERS + FITZGERALD
SEAL



1702
MOLONY
TULLA



1780
COMYN
PLATE



1704
BURTON
SEAL



COUNTY CLARE.

[Kindly contributed by Thomas J. Westropp, Esq., M.R.I.A., &c.]

‘The Heralds, in their Visitations in England during the sixteenth and seventeenth century, often made collections of Armorial Bearings, &c. (from monuments, plate, carvings, paintings, and seals), the value of which, from an antiquarian point of view, bids fair to outweigh much of that of the rest of their work. I venture to attempt a similar undertaking for the families of the County Clare, the condensed results of which, so far, I send to you. The paucity of examples of many noteworthy Celtic families is regrettable. I am unable to give any carving or seal, for example, of the houses of O’DEA, O’CONOR, O’LOUGHLIN, or O’QUIN, who played so important a part in the history of Clare, but hope some other correspondent may be able to remedy this deficiency.’

ARTHUR—*Limerick Cathedral*, 1426 to 1642. *Arms*—A chevron between three clarions.

BANKS—*Ennis Friary*, 1728–1773. **PERCIVAL**, son of Lieut. H. BANKS, of Ardee. *Crest*—A wolf’s head coupé, issuant from wreath.

BINDON—*Seal*, 1664. **HENRY**, of Clooney. *Arms*—Three roses on a bend.
 „ 1759. **FRANCIS**, of Clooney. *Arms*—Three roses within a bordure engrailed (quartering ROCHE). [See Plate II., Figure 12.]

BLOOD—*Kilnasoola Church*, 1799. **JAMES**, of Castlefergus. *Arms*—A fess gules between six martlets. *Crest*—A triton (Neptune) with trident and crown. [See Plate II., Figure 11.]

JOHN BLOOD, of Castlefergus, descended from **EDMOND BLOOD**, of Macknay, Derbyshire, who settled in Ireland late in the reign of Elizabeth. His son Neptune was born at sea, and took as his crest the god Neptune, so singularly and grotesquely misrepresented on this tomb.

BRADY—*Seals*, circa 1720. *Arms*—A saltire engrailed between four martlets, 3 boars’ heads in chief.

BRIDGEMAN—*Kilseily Church*, Mural Monument, 1714. **WILLIAM** and **HENRY**. *Arms*—Ten plates 4, 3, 2, 1. A lion passant in chief. (Impales for **HENRY**’s wife **CATHERINE ST. JOHN**. *Arms*—Three hands holding daggers with points downward.) [See Plate I.]

BROWNE—*Clooney Church*, 1700. **JANE MILLER**, dau. of **EDM. B.**, of Ballyslattery (Newgrove). *Arms*—A double-headed eagle displayed. [See Plate I., Figure 11.]

Tulla Church, 1717. EDMUND, of Newgrove. *Arms*—Quarterly arg & gules on a bend double cottised 3 double-headed eagles displayed. *Crest*—A double-headed eagle displayed.

BURKE—*Ennis Friary*, 1772. RICHARD, outer wall of the nave of Ennis Friary. *Arms*—On a bend three fleurs-de-lys. *Crest*—A chained cat sejant. [See Plate II., Figure 1, and Vol. III., p. 37.]

Feakle Church, 1779. TOBIAS, of Fairhill. *Arms*—A cross in right chief a lion rampant, in left a rose. *Crest*—As before. [See Plate I., Figure 8, and Vol. II., p. 280.]

Kilmaley Church, 1781. JAMES, of Strasburgh, Ennis. Same *Crest*.

BURTON—1704, *Seal on Will and Deeds at Dublin*. *Arms* of FRANCIS BURTON, of Buncraggy, Co. Clare; High Sheriff, 1691; of ancient Shropshire descent. This family settled in Clare about 1610. [See Plate II., Figure 16.] *Arms*—A cross engrailed between 4 roses. *Crest*—A gauntlet.

BUTLER—*Inchicronan Abbey*, 1735. THEOBALD, of Ballyline. *Arms*—Three covered cups.

COLPOYS—*Ennis Friary*, 1677. ELIZABETH, dau. of GEORGE C., and wife of T. HICKMAN. *Arms*—A maunch. *Seal*—1757. JAMES, of Crusheen. *Arms*—A maunch. *Crest*—A dexter hand couped at wrist. *Seal*—1771. GEORGE, of Ballycarr. *Arms*—A maunch ermine. *Crest*—As above. [See Plate I., Figure 10.]

COMYN—*Plate at Edenvale*, 1790. LAWRENCE, of Moyne. *Arms*—Gules around a chevron or three garbs. *Crest*—A bird holding an ear of corn. [See Plate II., Figure 15.] High Sheriff, 1792.

CREAGH—*Charter of Dublin*, 1687. MICHAEL. *Arms*—Arg: 3 boughs on a chief gu 3 plates. [See Plate I.]

Dominican Friary, Limerick.—No name or date, circa 1600. Same *Arms* (impales ROCHE). [Plate I., Figure 13.]

CROWE—*Ennis Friary*, 1772. ROBERT, of Ennis. *Crest*—A cock crowing.

DAVOREN—*Coad Church*, 1822. *Arms*—A lion passant, 2 crescents in chief. *Motto*—VIRTUTE ET VALORE. (See O'DAVOREN.)

FINUCANE—*Ennistymon Church (Old)*, 1802. Lieut: PATRICK, R.N. *Crest*—A falcon on a lure.

FITZGERALD—*Seal* of H. IEVERS, 1752. ELIZABETH, *dau.* of W. FITZGERALD, of Sixmilebridge, and wife of H. IEVERS. *Arms*—Ermine a saltier gules.

Kilfarboy Church, 1778. GERALD. *Arms*—A chevron, above it two lions counter rampant, below it a cross floretté.

Crest—An armed warrior on horseback.

FOSTER—*Coad Church*, 1761. PATRICK, of Baunkyla. *Arms*—3 stags' heads (impaling a stag salient).

„ „ 1786. ROBERT, of Kells. *Crest*—A stag trippant.

GORE—*Seal*—1698. FRANCIS, of Clonroad. *Arms*—A fess between 3 crosses crosslet. *Crest*—A wolf salient.

Derrymore Gate, 1717. Same person and *Arms*. *Crest*—

A wolf salient, collared. High Sheriff, 1715. This family settled near Ennis about 1653. [See Plate II., Figure 5.]

GREEN—*Seal*, 1686. THOMAS, of Meelick. *Arms*—3 stags trippant. *Crest*—A stag's head coupé.

HARTE—*Tulla Church*, a fallen mural tomb, *circa* 1710. RICHARD, of Ballyhennon. *Arms*—A chevron between 3 fleurs-de-lys. *Crest*—A tower. [See Plate I., Figure 6, and Vol. III., p. 236.]

HEWITT—*Fenloe or Tomfinlough Church*, 1722. THOMAS. *Arms*—A fess charged with 3 martlets between 3 escarbuncles, a rose in centre chief. *Crest*—A falcon on an armed hand. *Impales Arms*—Three cocks 2 and 1.) [See Plate II., Figure 6, also Vol. II., p. 448.]

HICKMAN—Chancel, *Ennis Friary*, 1677. THOMAS, of Ballyhennan (Castle Fergus); High Sheriff, 1678, and his wife COLPOYS, of Ballycarr. [See Report III., p. 39.] *Arms*—Indented per pale six roses. (*Impales*—COLPOYS.) Same *Arms* on his *Seal*. *Crest*—A Talbot's head erased. [Plate I., Figure 10.]

Funeral Entry, 1683.—RHODA, wife of H. PERCIVAL. *Arms*—Per pale indented arg. and az. on first 3 roses in pale, gules; on 2nd, three roses in pale argent. *Seal*—1731. POOLE, of Kilmore. *Arms*—Indented arg. and az. *Crest*—A Talbot passant. *Seal*—1760. HENRY, of Kilmore. *Arms* and *Crest*—Same as last.

The family is of ancient Surrey descent, and settled in Clare before 1612.

IEVERS—*Seal*—1690. HENRY, of Ballyarela or Mount Ievers. *Arms*—On a bend or, 3 fleurs-de-lys. *Seal*—1752. HENRY, of same.

Arms—Or, on a bend az. 3 fleurs-de-lys of the field. (*Impales*—FITZGERALD.) [See Plate II., Figure 13.] Family was founded in Clare by HENRY LEVERS, of Sixmilebridge, under the Commonwealth.

LUCAS—*Killone Convent*, 1759. TIMOTHY. *Arms*—Arg. and fess gules between 3 annulets. *Crest*—A hand and arm vambraced. [See Plate II., Figure 7.] Of this family sprang the well-known patriot.

MACDONOUGH—*Kilfenora Cathedral*, 1685. DONALD. *Arms*—A chevron, above it 2 wolves salient, below it a boar passant. *Crest*—A hand and arm vambraced, holding a sword entwined with a serpent. [See Plate II., Figure 10, and Vol. II., p. 38.]

MACGORMAN—*Coad Church*, 1735. THOMAS, of Cahirmoroghu (Cahermurphy). *Arms*—A horse bridled and saddled, below are 3 fishes naiant. *Crest*—A hand and arm vambraced holding a spear. *Motto*—PROBATA EST OPTIMA VIRTUS. [See Vol. III., p. 234.]

MACMAHON—*Tulla Church* (Old), 1710. TERENCE, Cloundanagh. *Arms*—A lion rampant. *Crest*—A hand and arm holding a dagger. *Seal*—1763. JOHN, Coolreagh. Same *Arms* and *Crest*. [See Plate I., Figure 3.]

MACNAMARA—*Ennis Friary*, 1686. JAMES. *Arms*—A lion rampant, in chief two spear heads and a crescent. *Crest*—A hand and arm holding a spear.

Quin Friary, 1714. TEIG, of Ranna. Same *Arms* and *Crest*, save a nondescript scimitar replaces the spear. [Plate I., Figure 2.] *Seal*—1757. WILLIAM, of Doolin. Same *Arms* and *Crest*, save that hand holds a dagger.

MACNAMARA, 1714.—*Quin Friary*, Chancel, Parish of Quin. Set in the back of a mediæval canopied tomb (see Report, Vol. II., p. 453), the Armorial bearings of Capt. TEIGE MACNAMARA, of Ranna, Co. Clare, the patron of ANDREW CURTIN, the Irish scholar: for him was made the copy of "The Wars of Torlough" (now in T.C.D.), 1721. [See Plate I.]

MAGHLIN—*Croaghane Church*, 1751. JAMES, of Brickhill. *Arms*—A lion rampant. *Crest*—A martlet.

MASSY—*Seal*—1739. CHARLES, of Doonass, Dean of Limerick. A scion of the ancient Cheshire house, and son of Col. HUGH MASSY, of Duntrileague, Limerick. CHARLES MASSY purchased the

Doonass estate, Co. Clare, on the beautiful falls of the Shannon, opposite Castleconnell, 1714. *Arms*—Arg., a chevron sa, charged with a lion passant between 3 lozenges. *Seals*—1780 and 90. Sir HUGH DILLON, Bart., of Doonass. Same *Arms*. *Crest*—A bull's head issuant from a ducal coronet. *Motto*—PRO LIBERTATE PATRIÆ. [See Plate II., Figure 3.]

MILLER—*Clooney Church*, 1700. JOHN. *Arms*—Three garbs of corn 1 and 2. (Impales—BROWNE, of Ballyslattery.) [Plate I., Figure 11.]

MOLONY—N. wall, *Tulla Church* (Old), 1703. JAMES, of Kiltanon. *Arms*—1 and 4, a quiver of arrows and a bow in pale; 3 and 4, a sword supported by two lions counter rampant. *Crest*—A hand and arm holding a dagger. [See Plate II., Figure 14.] JAMES MOLONY, of Kiltannon, member of an ancient Dalcassian house in Clare.

NORTON—*Clondegad Church*, 1700. Impaled on Ross shield. *Arms*—On a bend between 2 lions rampant 3 escallops. [Plate I., Figure 9.]

NUGENT—*Croaghane Church*, 1770. JANE MAGHLIN, widow of Capt. J. NUGENT, of Westmeath. *Arms*—Erm., 2 fesses.

O'BRIEN—*Limerick Cathedral*, 1194. DONALDMORE, King of Munster. *Device*—A cross between 4 lions. Same—1207, Bishop DONAT. *Arms*—A chevron between 3 lions passant. *Seal*, and *Bunratty Castle*. DONOUGH, Earl of Thomond, 1629. *Arms*—1 and 4, three lions passant in pale; 2, three piles; 3, a pheon. *Crest*—Hand, arm, and dagger. MOROUGH, Earl of Inchiquin. *Seal*, *Arms*, and *Crest*—Same as last. *Supporters*—Two lions. [Plate I., Figure 4.]

St. Mary's, Iniscaltra, 1626. Sir TEIG MAC IBRIEN, Arra. Same as 1st quarter in Arms of Earl of Thomond. *Crest*—Same as last.

Lemeneagh Gate, 1641. CONOR O'BRIEN, parish of Kilnaboy, Co. Clare. The shields are those of Capt. CONOR O'BRIEN, of Lemenagh, husband of the traditionally famous "Maureen Rhue," and of Sir DONOUGH O'BRIEN, Bart., son of the last. [Plate I., Figure 1.] Fully quartered, same *Arms* and *Crest* as 1619. Sir DONAT, 1684. *Arms* as in 1st quarter. So also in *Kilnasoolagh*, 1719, Sir DONAT, Bart., and many seals, tombs, &c.

"The Wars of Torlough" (written circa 1350) state that the standards of MORTOUGH O'BRIEN in 1310 bore *leopards*.

- O'CALLAGHAN—Chancel of *Tulla Church* (Old), 1793. JOHN, of Maryfort. A scion of the ancient Eoghanacht tribe, so long seated at Duballow, and a lineal descendant of DONOUGH, "The O'CALLAGHAN," transplanted to Co. Clare, 1653, from Drummaneen, Co. Cork. *Arms*—A wolf iss. from oak grove. *Crest*—A hand and arm holding dagger entwined with a serpent. [See Plate II., Figure 4.]
- O'DAVOREN—1822. *Coad Graveyard, Kilnaboy Parish, Co. Clare.* Here inserted as a record of the *Arms* of a noteworthy old family, of which I could find no old example Armorial bearings of Rev. MICHAEL DAVOREN. [See Report III., p. 233, and Plate I., Figure 5.]
- O'GRADY—*St. Caimin's Church, Iniscealtra*, 1703. JAMES. *Arms*—Three lions pass. in pale. *Crest*—A horse's head. *Motto*—VULNERATVS NON VICTVS.
- O'NELLANE—*Kilnaboy Church*, 1645. DERMOT. *Arms* concealed by an incrustation.
- PERY—*Seal*, 1717. EDMUND, of Stacpoles Court. *Arms*—Quarterly on a bend 3 lions passant.
- POWER—Chancel, *Ennis Friary*, 1761. DOMINICK. *Arms*—Gules on a chief arg. 3 stars of the field. [See Plate I., Figure 14.]
- PURDON—In the chancel of *Killaloe Cathedral*, 1719. GILBERT, of Tinneranna. *Arms*—1 and 4, a leopard's face between a chief and a chevron. 3 and 2, quarterly. 1 and 4, a double-headed eagle displayed. 2 and 3, three annulets. *Crest*—A hand and arm vambraced holding a broken spear. [See Plate I., Figure 15.] *Seal*, 1720. SIMON, of same. Same *Arms* as in quarter 1. [See Vol. II., p. 450.]
- ROCHE—*Dominican Friary, Limerick*, no date (1600 ?), impaled with CREAGH *Arms* 3 fishes (roche). *Seals*, 1759, quartered with BINDON, same as last. [Plate I., Figure 13, and II., 12.]
- ROSS—*Seal*, 1698. GEORGE, Liskillogue. *Arms*—Three water budgets 2 and 3, impaling CROFTON. *Clondagad Church*, 1700.
1700.—South wall of *Clondagad Parish Church*, Co. Clare. Armorial bearings of GEORGE ROSSE, of Fortfergus (High Sheriff of Co. Clare, 1664), and the *Arms* of NORTON* impaled. GEORGE Ross left his estates to his nephew, JOHN LEWIN, who, with his descendants, have since used the name ROSS-LEWIN. [See Plate I., Figure 9.]

* His wife was JANE CROFTON, of Moate, so the impalement of NORTON requires explanation.

ROSS-LEWIN—*Seal*, 1775. HARRISON, of Liskillogue or Fortfergus. *Arms*—Purpure 3 water budgets arg. *Crest*—A peacock in its pride. *Motto*—CONSILO AC VIRTUTE.

SPAIGHT—*Seal* on title deed of Killard, 1684, now at Attyffin, and other deeds. Armorial bearings of THOMAS SPAIGHT, of Burrane, Co. Clare, High Sherrieff, 1697; migrated from Kent to Carlow, and thence to Clare, about 1682, as Seneschal to the Earl of Thomond. *Arms*—On a fess three pheons. [See Plate II., Figure 9.] *Seal*, 1708. THOMAS, his son. Same *Arms*. *Crest*—A bird.

St. Finghin's Church, Quin.—1801. Capt. JULIAN. Same *Arms* and *Crest*.

STACKPOOLE—*Seal*, 1757. JOHN, of Clonatingy. *Arms*—A lion rampant. *Crest*—A pelican. [See Plate II., Figure 8.]

„ 1772. PHILIP. Same *Arms*. *Crest*—A pelican in piety with her young in nest.

„ 1780. (Three) WILLIAM, Edenvale. *Arms*—Lion ramp. collared. *Crest*—As last.

„ 1795. GEORGE, of London. *Arms*—Same as 1772 *Seal*.

This ancient Limerick family was transplanted to Ennis about 1653.

STAMER—*Seal*, 1707. Col. GEORGE, of Carnelly. *Arms*—A lion passant. *Crest*—A stag's head couped.

Seal, 1773. GEORGE. Same *Arms* and *Crest*.

1766. Mural monument in *Killoe Church*, Clare Castle. Armorial bearings of GEORGE STAMER, of Carnelly; monument erected also in memory of his uncle, Col. HENRY STAMER, of Latoon, who burned Quin Abbey. [See Plate I., Figure 7.]

The family was founded by GEORGE, son of WILLIAM STAMER (of the family of Straffan, Co. Kildare, and more remotely of that of Retendean, Essex), before 1680.

VANDELEUR—*Seal*, 1701. GILES, of Ralahine. *Arms*—A chevron between 3 trefoils slipped. High Sheriff, 1706. Descended from a Dutch family which had settled at Sixmile-bridge about 1653.

Seal, 1721. BOYLE, of same. *Arms*—Three mullets 2 and 1. *Crest*—A bird. [See Plate I., Figure 2.]

VINCENT—*Seal*, 1733. *Arms*—Three quatrefoils 2 and 3.

WESTROPP—*Seal*, 1698. MONTIFORT, of Kilkerrin. High Sheriff, 1674. *Arms*—A lion ramp. crowned (impales TAYLOR). *Crest*—An eagle's head out of wreath.

Plate, 1720. RALPH, of Carduggan, Co. Cork, and Clonmoney, Co. Clare, third son of above MONTIFORT W. *Arms*—A lion ramp. ducally crowned (impales ROBERTS). *Crest*—As above.

1764.—[See also under Tulla Old Church.] JOHN, of Lis-mehan, Co. Clare, son of said RALPH.

Circa 1710.—Large silver cup now at Mellon, Co. Limerick. Armorial bearings of THOMAS WESTROPP, of Ballysteen (fourth son of above MOUNTIFORT), and his wife ELIZABETH BURY, of Shannongrove. THOMAS died 1743. *Arms*—Sa: a lion rampt. erm. ducally crowned. *Crest*—An eagle's head ermine (impales BURY). [Plate I, Figure 12.] The family is of old Yorkshire origin. (See Visitation of 1586 and registered Pedigree in Ulster's Office, Dublin Castle). The above MOUNTIFORT settled at Limerick from Stainesby in Yorkshire in 1658.

WHITE—*Seal*, 1704. SIMON, of Castleconnell. *Arms*—A chevron between 3 roses.

Sixteen of the Seals referred to in this note are published in the *Journal* of the Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland, 1890, p. 72.

Parish of Clare Castle.

‘Killoe Church (Arms No. 7, Plate I.)’ :—

“Here lies the body of Col. HENRY STAMER, | GEORGE STAMER, of Carnelly | HONORA STAMER alias O'BRIEN his | wife and WILLIAM STAMER their | son by whose order this monument | is erected, Died 18th of July 1785 Aged 35 much lamented | by his friends and country. | Here also lies the body of GEORGE WILLIAM STAMER | who died 26 Novr. 1817 aged 16 days. | And of Lieut.-Col. | GEORGE WILLIAM STAMER who departed this life April 24th 1819 | aged 34 years.”

Parish of Dromeliff.

‘Ennis Friary (Arms No. 14, Plate I.)’ :—

“This tomb | was erected by DOMINICK | POWER for his wife HONORA | O'BRIEN deceased Aug. 1st 1761 | and for himself and his | family.”

Tulla Old Parish Church.

‘(Arms No. 4, Plate II.)’ :—

“To the Memories of DENS O’CALAGHAN | of Liscullane and
HELEN his wife | CORNELIUS O’CALLAGHAN of Kilgory
& | CATHERINE O’CALLAGHAN of Maryfort | And of ANNE
O’CALLAGHAN wife of CORNS | O’CALLAGHAN of Dublin |
of JOHN O’CALLAGHAN of Maryfort obt. | 1818 of CHARLES
O’CALLAGHAN of Seamount.”

‘On smaller tablet’ :—

“Also | to the memories of | CORNS O’CALLAGHAN | of Mary-
fort obiit 1824 & his brother | JOHN of Knockagradý &
EDWARD of Coolready | To the memory of CORNS O’CALLAGHAN
of Ballinahinch, Oct. 1829.”

Killone Convent.

‘(Arms No. 7, Plate II.)’ :—

“This tomb was erected by JOSEPH LUCAS Anno Dni | 1763
for his father TIMTH | LUCAS dec^d 8 Decemb^r | 1759, for
himself and his family . . hn Flin fecit.”

We beg to offer our best thanks to Mr. Westropp for the above very valuable record of the Arms, &c., of Clare families, and for his clear and excellent illustrations ; and with him, we too, hope the list may be rendered complete at no distant period, and that some of our members will follow his excellent lead, and send us similar returns from other counties.—[ED.]

[From T. J. Westropp, Esq., M.R.I.A.]

‘MONUMENT IN DRUMCLIFF GRAVEYARD.’

‘At the top of the hill near the north side’ :—

‘Arms—Argent 2 bears sable.’

‘Crest—A bear’s head.’

“In memory of RALPH WESTROPP BRERETON, Esq., formerly
of Limerick, who died at Clonroad House, Ennis, on the
23rd of March, 1858, aged 60 years.

‘He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse
us from all unrighteousness.’”

Kilfenora.

[Monumental inscription contributed by T. J. Westropp, M.A.]

"Here lies the body | of JOHN NEVLAN who | dyed the 27
of July | 1718 Aged 24.

✚ I. H. S."

'In the nave is the Macdonough Tomb.'

Killaloe Cathedral.

Some few years ago, one of your editors visited Killaloe Cathedral, and the very interesting stone-roofed oratory which stands a few yards from the north side of the Cathedral, which is attributed to St. Flannan, and in which there is a doorway which Brash believes to have been inserted by King Brian Boroimhe ; both the Cathedral and the oratory were then in good repair and well kept, but the adjoining cemetery was in the wildest confusion. He noticed a most interesting "Finial," which doubtless at one time crowned the gable of the Romanesque Church which preceded the Cathedral, used as the rude headstone of an unknown grave ; and another remnant of that more ancient structure, the beautiful Romanesque arched doorway which is built into the wall of the present Cathedral, and which is so much admired by all antiquarian visitors, was rudely blocked up with masonry, so that it could only be imperfectly seen. If the account which appeared of these buildings in a letter which was published in the *Irish Times* on the 1st July last be correct, they are not now in as good order as when he saw them, and are suffering much from the inroads of that very picturesque and most *destructive* creeper *Ivy*, which nothing but the greatest care on the part of the custodians can hinder from destroying or reducing to shapeless ruin any building to which it attaches itself. We feel well assured that we have only to call the attention of the Bishop and Dean of Killaloe (both of whom are members of the Royal Society of Antiquaries) to this matter in order to have whatever remedial measures that may be necessary taken.

It is not only with regard to Killaloe Cathedral that we would speak, but very generally throughout Ireland the destruction of our ancient ecclesiastical and other buildings by ivy is going on, in many cases under the false belief that it is, if not actually, a benefit!—at least harmless. Nothing can be more erroneous, and we again beg to urge those who have charge of ivy-covered walls, to have the ivy cut *at the ground* if they wish to preserve the building, or else it may be that when it is too late they will see the error of their ways.

Killaloe.

[From Du Noyer's notes.]

'The font is of yellow sandstone. From its outline the Greek cross on it, and the style of the foliated ornament, part in low relief and part "gravè en creu," Mr. Du Noyer considered it to be the work of the tenth century, if not older, but in this Mr. Du Noyer was mistaken, as the accounts of the Chapter show that it was made in 1701, and probably copied from an old pattern.

'INSCRIPTIONS EARLIER THAN 1800 IN THE CHURCHES OF NORTH WESTERN CLARE.'

[By Thomas J. Westropp, Esq., M.R.I.A.]

'Killone Convent (Holy Well)':—

"This Alter was | Built by ANTHONY | ROCH Merchant | from
Ennis | 1731."

'This is the famous holy well of St. John, to which so many pilgrimages were made, and where so large "a pattern" was held; it is alluded to by Crofton Croker, in his "Fairy Legends," p. 209 (1862 edition).'

'Domestic buildings of Convent.—A mural tomb, with Tuscan pillars. *Arms*—Argent a fess gules between 3 annulets. *Crest*—A hand and arm vambraced [Arms No. 7, Plate II.]':—

"This tomb was erected by JOSEPH LUCAS Anno Dni | 1763
for his Father TIM^T | LUCASS decd. 8 Decemb^r | 1759
for himself and his family."—John Flin Fecit.

‘In Crypt.—*Arms*—A hand and arm vambraced and embowed, holding a cross crosslet’ :—

“CHARLES MACDONNELL died March 25th, 1793 aged 6 years.”

‘Another slab in same crypt’ :—

“Sacred to the Memory of | BRIDGET the beloved wife | of |
Col: CHARLES MACDONNELL | M.P. of Newhall | and
daughter of | JOHN BAYLY Esqre. of Debsborough | Co.
Tipperary | she departed this life the 23rd | day of March
1800 | aged 38.”

Kilfarboy.

‘Kilfarboy (near Miltown Malbay)—This church was called “Kellynfearbuygy” in the taxation of 1302–6, disposing of the tradition that it derives its name “Church of the Yellow Man,” from the burial of Spaniards drowned in the Armada in 1588. The east gable is buttressed by a vault having *Arms*—A chevron, below it a cross floretty, above it 2 lions combatant. *Crest*—A knight in full armour on horseback’ :—

‘Inscription’ :—

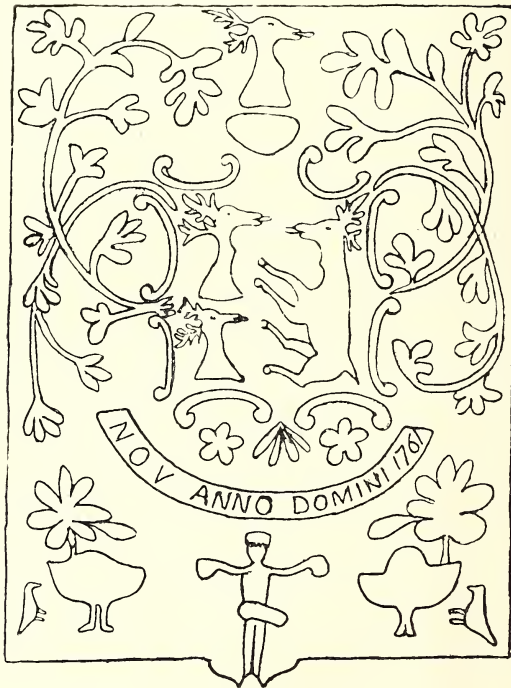
“This tomb was | erected by BRIDGET FITZGERALD | in
memory of her husband | GERALD FITZGERALD who
departed | this life Novb. 20th 1778 aged 74 years.”

‘Kilmaley (near Ennis)—Vault against south wall. *Crest*—A chained cat’ :—

“Here lyeth the remains | of JAMES BURKE Esqre | of
Strasburgh who departed | this life on ye 29th of June |
in ye yeare of our Lord 1781 | aged 56 This tomb is |
erected to his memory by | his affectionate wife and daughter |
in testimony (*sic*) of their regard for a most affectionate and
indulgent | husband and Father | and a | real friend to the poor.”

‘Kilshanny Cell, near Ennistymon—This was an ancient pre-Norman church made a cell to the Abbey of S. Maria De Petra Fertile or Corcomroe; its bell is preserved in the British Museum.





WESTERN PART OF THE FOSTER OF BANKYLE
TOMB, COAD CO. CLARE.

‘North wall, in raised capitels’ :—

“I.H.S. • MEMENTO MORI.

I WAS AS YOU ARE AND YOU WILL BE AS I AM
THIS TOMB WAS ERECTED BY JEREMIAH
THYNNE FOR HIMSELF AND HIS
FAMILY ANNO DO 1717.”

‘In recess in north wall’ :—

“Here lies the body of AUGUSTIN THYNN who departed | ye
year 1720 MARY OLOUGHLEN wife of JOHN THYNN the eldest
son of the said AUGUSTIN THYNN dyed in the | year 1751 and 2,
Dated this 10th day of Jany 1752.”

Kilnaboy Parish.

[From Doctor G. N. Macnamara.]

The accompanying Plate represents the western part of the Foster of Bankyle Tomb in the graveyard of the Church of Coad, parish of Kilnaboy. See p. 235 for the inscription, &c., which is now barely legible.

Tomgrany Churchyard.

A correspondent has written to us asking if anything can be done to keep this churchyard in a better state than it is. For some years it has been in a most deplorable state, and no one seems to look after it. The church itself is a very old and notable one.

We believe that this parish is peculiarly situated, and we happen to know that the clergyman now in charge is very anxious that this most interesting old church, in which we are told that Divine service has been held continuously from the time that it was restored by King Brian Boru to the present day, should be renovated and put in good order. We would ask him to call the attention of the parishioners to the churchyard, and to remind them that what may seem a “deplorable state” to a stranger, may not, when their eyes have become accustomed to it, attract their attention, so much does familiarity blunt our powers of perception. The northern part, through which the path runs, is sufficiently well kept. The southern part is still

used by the peasantry, and is in the last stage of neglect. It can scarcely be seen either from the road or from the church path,—[Eds.]

[From T. J. Westropp, Esq.]

Glencolumbeill.

“Here lieth the body of Captain CORNELIUS O'BRIEN who departed this life An Dni 1753 who was grandson of Genl. MORTHOUGH O'BRIEN that was brother to MOROUGH 1st EARL OF INCHQUIN. This monument was erected by MORTHOUGH O'BRIEN in memory of his wife BRIDGET O'BRIEN alias MACNAMARA who departed this life July 24, 1800 aged 66.”

Noughaval.

‘At the stone-roofed chapel S.E. from the ancient church, I could not find the tablet on either of my visits.’

“This chapel was built by JAMES DAVOREN of Lisdoonvarna who died the 31 of July 1725 aged 59 years.”

Kilmacreehy (near Liscannor).

“Here resteth NICK whose fame no age can blot
The chief MACDONOUGH of old Heber's lot
Who while on earth revived the ancient fame
Of his own line and yt of all his name
His flxt religion was his actions guide
And as he lived beloved, lamented died.
Erected in the year of our Lord God 1745.”

Ruan (near Corofin).

“THIS CHAPEL AND TOMB WAS ERECTED
BY DONOUGH O'KERINE THE SON OF
DERMOT O'KERINE OF OWEN FOR HIM
AND HIS POSTERITIE THE YEAR OF OUR
LORD GOD 1688. EN MORS ANTE FORES
MUNDI SI QUÆRIS HONORES CRIMINA
DEPLORES PRO ME TE DEPRECOR ORES.”

Kilseily Parish Church (near Broadford).

‘Mural monument rebuilt’ :—

‘*Arms*—Ten plates, 4, 3, 2, 1 in chief a lion passt. impaling for St. JOHN 3 hands coupé at wrist and holding daggers.’ [See Plate I, Figure 16.]

“This Monument was erected by HENRY BRIDGEMAN, Esqre. and by CATHERINE BRIDGEMAN alias St. ION his wife daughter of Col. THOS ST. ION of St. Ionstown in ye Co. of Tipperary In memory of WM. BRIDGEMAN Esqre and ELLINOR BRIDGEMAN als WALL his wife and her father JAMES WALL of Culenemucky Esqre. as also the said HENRY’s brothers WILLIAM, WINTER, and GARRETT and sisters CATHERINE, MARY, and ANNE who were all here enterred and his former wife ELIZABETH BRIDGEMAN als LEVERS for their and their posterities use. Gloria in excelsis Deo, &c. Año Dom̄ 1714.”

Killnasoola Graveyard.

‘*Arms*—Arg. a fess gules between 6 martlets. *Crest*—A Neptune crowned and with trident.’

“Here rests in hope of a blessed resurrection JOHN BLOOD Esqre, of Castlefergus who departed this life Jan. 16th 1799 aged 78 yrs. This tomb is inscribed by his daughter Mrs. ALICE YOUNG as a testimony of gratitude and affection to his memory.”

Kilmaleery Church (near Newmarket-on-Fergus).

‘Tablet’ :—

“Here lies the body of BRIDGET MACMAHON wife to DONOUGH MACMAHON Esqre and dau. to the Rt. Hon. LORD VISCOUNT KINGSLAND Departed this life the 16th July 1733. Here lyes also the body of ANN MACMAHON wife to HENRY MACMAHON and daughter to MAC O’BRIEN ARRA,* departed this life ye 5th March 1735 This monument was erected by Mr. HENRY MACMAHON in the year of our Lord God 1736.”

Tulla Church (the Old Church).

‘Two churches remain on the hill of Tulaḥ na neapruḡ (or Tulla nan Apstol, as sometimes written), the lower part of the north wall of the mediæval church with the jamb of a recess, and south of it the old Protes-

* This is a puzzle, as Sir Terlough, the last recognised Mac Ibrien Arra, died 1626.

tant Church, a plain oblong nave, with a small vaulted chancel and neat round-headed windows, three being in the south wall. It dates about 1700. Perhaps the Molony vault was built at the east end of the older church when the latter was superseded (1702). *Arms*—1 and 4, a quiver with arrows and a bow; 2 and 3, two lions counter rampant supporting a sword. *Crest*—A dexter arm and hand with dagger':—

"HOC MONVMENTVM | FIERI FECIT DOMINUS |
JACOBVS MOLONY DE KIL | TANON DIE 2
IVNII 1702
QVOD EX VETVSTATE | RVINAM MINITANS |
CONDITORIS POSTERI | DE DOMO CRAGG |
REFECERVNT."

'Outside north wall':—

'*Arms*—A lion rampant. *Crest*—same as last.' [See Plate I., Figure 3.]

"This small Monum | ent was erected by Mr. | TERENCE
McMAHON of | Cloundanagh in the | yeare of our Lord
1711 | where lyes the body | of his wife JOANE M | AC
MAHON who dis | cd 8ber 1710."

'In N.W. corner, now fallen':—

'*Arms*—A chevron between 3 fleurs-de-lys. *Crest*—A tower. [See Plate I., Figure 6']

"M | of | RICHARD HARTE Esqre. and | BRIDGET HARTE
otherwise | BROWNE in token of the | Affection and respect
bore | to their ashes by their | surviving sons | WILLIAM
HARTE RICHARD HARTE." (*circa* 1710.)

'A large "Ionic" tomb against N. wall. *Crest*—(now fallen)—A falcon's head issuant from ducal coronet.'

"This monument was erected by | JOHN WESTROPP of
Lismehane Esq. | to the memory of his daughter | Mrs.
ANN MORONY who departed | This life July the 31st 1764."

"In this vault also lie interred the said JOHN WESTROPP
1780 his wife JANE ROBERTS of Brightfieldstown Co. Cork
& their son RALPH WESTROPP of Attyffin Co. Limerick 1806."

'The following curious deed (now at Attyffin) relates to this monument':—

"Be it remembered that I Robert Harrison of the city of Limerick Esq^{re} hath (*sic*) this day sold to John Westropp of Garruragh Esq^{re} the half or moyety (*sic*) of my vault at Tulla lying on the north side of s^d church of Tulla & under my seat for & in consideration of £3:8:3. . . . 9th day June 1763. Present Fra: Harrison, Edmund Morony."

'East end of chancel':—

'Another large mural tomb, with Ionic pilasters to S. of chancel. *Arms*—Quarterly gules and argent, on a bend 3 double-headed eagles displayed':—

"This monument was erected by EDMOND BROWNE of Newgrove Esq. | To the memory of his Father | THOMAS BROWNE Esqr. | who departed | this life Sep: 17: 1717 | Aged 56 years. In it are also buried the said EDMOND BROWNE d: May 10th 1768, of his son THOMAS d: 24 June 1799 aged 73, of EDMOND his son d: 26 Dec. 1801 aged 29 & of THOMAS his brother d: Feb. 9: 1847 aged 73."

'A "Tuscan" mural monument at opposite side of chancel. *Arms*—A wolf issuant from oak trees. *Crest*—Arm and hand with dagger transfixing serpent':—

"To the Memories of DENS | (*sic*) O'CALLAGHAN | of Liscullane and HELEN his wife | CORNELIUS O'CALLAGHAN of Kilgory and | CATHERINE O'CALLAGHAN of Maryfort | And of ANNE O'C wife of CORNS (*sic*) | O'C of Dublin | of JOHN O'C: of Maryfort | obt | 1818, of CHARLES O'C of Seamount | Also to the memories of CORNS O'C | of Maryfort obiit 1824 and his brother | JOHN of | Knocka | grady and EDWARD of Coolready | to the memory of | CORNS O'C: | of Ballinahinch Octr. 1829."

COUNTY CORK.

Parish of Castlemagner.

[From Major J. Grove White, 57th Regt., Kilbyrne.]

'CASTLEMAGNER CHURCH.

'This church is about 8 miles west of Mallow, and near Cecilstown. It was built about 1811, and is called St. Bridget's. There was an old

church in the same churchyard; a small portion of the ruin is in existence. Both Protestants and Roman Catholics are buried here.

'The Registers of the Births, Deaths, and Marriages commence in 1809, and are in the possession of the Rev. Henry Swanzy, A.M., the Rector, who kindly showed me over the church.

'Over the main entrance to the churchyard is a stone cross with the following inscription':—

"A gift to the Parish of Castlemagner From the Right Honorable the LORD ARDEN, A.D. 1817."

'Tablets in the church':—

"One to Major NICHOLAS WRIXON, late of 21st Fusiliers, who died at Cork 6 June 1864, his eldest son Lieut. JOHN WRIXON, same Regt., died at Kamptee, India, aged 22, 15 Sept. 1843, where a monument is erected by his brother officers. Erected by their affectionate wife and mother. MARY WRIXON, widow and mother of above, died 13 Feb. 1882, aged 87. Erected by her second son."

'Near the reading-desk a tablet':—

"Under this seat lies the Body of the Rev. FRANCIS GORE late of Assollus who departed this life May ye 10th 1748 he was incumbent in these parishes for 34 years during which time he behaved himself very charitable to the poor indulgent and agreeable to all his parishioners and Neighbours he died in ye 65th year of his age."

"A tablet to the memory of Sir WILLIAM WRIXON BEECHER Bart. born 31 July 1780, died 17 Oct. 1850. JOHN MICHAEL WRIXON Esq. b. 13 Aug. 1781, d. 27 April 1855." The Rev. NICHOLAS WRIXON b. 18 Feb. 1783, d. 9 April 1869."

"A tablet to the Rev. FRANCIS WELLS, 21 years Rector born 25 Jan. 1814, died 21 Nov. 1870."

"Also one to MARY ELIZABETH, eldest daughter of JOHN POWER of Rosskeen, born 30 Mar. 1855, died 4 Dec. 1878."

“Also another to ANNE daughter of JOHN BEECHER of Creagh* and widow of JAMES LOMBARD of Lombardstown, born 20 Jan. 1761 died 17 July 1830.”

‘In the churchyard’ :—

‘Against the wall of the ruin of old church is a handsome monument, with the following inscription’ :—

“HENRY WRIXON Esq. of Asolus erected this in memory of his Uncle Mr. ARTHUR BASTABLE of Castle Magner who died 7br ye 4th 1773. Aged 75 yrs. Denis Connell, F.”

‘In the churchyard are tombstones or vaults to the families of BASTABLE, CHESTER, BOLSTER, of Glenmount; WILLIAMS, of Mallow; PRIESTLY, of Mallow; TOWNSEND, EGAN, RING, M‘CARTHY, STACKS, of Coolnamaugh; HAINES, of Mallow; and others.’

‘The Rev. Henry Swanzy kindly showed me the church plate in his possession, as follows :

A very old silver chalice, with the following inscription’ :—

“*This cup belongs to the parish Church of Castlemagner*

(Two hall marks, two castles, and the letters R S, thus—

$$\begin{array}{c} * \\ * \text{ R S } * \end{array} \quad \text{—} \quad \begin{array}{c} * \\ * \text{ R S } * \\ * \end{array}$$
 1679.”

‘Another old silver chalice, with inscription’ :—

“*The gift of CORNELIUS CALLAGHANE Esqr. to ye Church of Clonnmeene. Anno Dom 1718.*”

* Near Skibbereen.

‘The Church at Clonmeen is shut up; it is about three miles south of Castlemagner Church.

‘An old silver paten, with inscription’ :—

“*The Bequest of M^{rs} MARY POWER to the
CHURCH of CRANMEEN.*” *

‘An old silver paten with no inscription.’

‘A small old paten about 4 inches in diameter. No inscription.’

Cloyne.

‘THE CATHEDRAL.

‘Smith calls it “a decent Gothic building.” The choir 70 feet long, the nave 120.’

‘MONUMENTS.

‘On the south side of the altar is a flag-stone to the memory of the Rev. HENRY RUG, Dean of this cathedral, who was interred here in June, 1671.’

‘On the east wall of the North Cross aisle is a monument, with this inscription’ :—

“MARGARITÆ CORKER | Petri Wallis de Shanagarry
ciliarchæ Ex | ANDRIA BARKER de Carrigrohan, filiæ
PIÆ predicæ, literatæ, beneficæ EDWARDUS CORKER de
Ballimaloe armig. Charissimæ conjugii | Posuit. |
Obiit XVII die Julii A.D. MDCCXXI.
Hic etiam jacent | CATHERINA BARKER, martertera. |
Et | MEHETABLE FOULKE soror MARGARITÆ.
Obiit CATHERINA XXVIII die Martii A.D. MDCCXIV.
Obiit MEHETABLE 1 die Julii A.D. MDCCIII.”

‘Arms—Argent, a lion rampant, azure, impaled with azure, two hearts in chief, gules.

‘Motto—“Sacrificium Deo cor contritum.”’

‘On the north side of the same aisle is another monument, of black marble, somewhat defaced. On the top were two images, in a praying posture, since defaced.’

EPITAPHIVM IOHANIS DE GERALDINIS MILITIS

ANŌ DOMINI 1611.

HIC SITVS EST MILES MAGNI DE STIRPE GERALDI
 ÆTERNA CVIVS PATRIA LAVDE SONAT
 HOSPITO CELEBRIS DOCTRINA CLARVS ET ARMIS
 DIGNA FVIT VIRTVS NOBLILITATE VIRI
 OMNIPOTENS ANIMAM RAPIAT MISERATVS IN ALTV
 DVRA HEC EX ANIMVM MARMORA CORPVS HABET
 ILLIVS & GESTA IN PACE & QVAM PLVRIMA BELLO
 TE DOCEANT VIVI LECTOR AMICE VALE

OBIIT PRÆDICT, EQVES ANŌ ÆTATIS 85 DIE VERO MENSIS IANVARIJ 15 ANŌ DOMINI 1612
 SVB HOC ETIAM MARMORE REQVIESCIT FILIVS CVM PATRE QVI IMATVRA MORTE
 PATRI PRÆPVPVIT ITER ANŌ ÆTATIS 43 DIE VERO MENSIS MARTII 10 ANŌ DOMINI 1612

EPITAPH ON SIR JOHN FITZGERALD'S MONUMENT, CLOYNE CATHEDRAL.

The copy of this inscription as given by Smith, in 1815, varies in several words from that here given [see Smith's "History of Cork," vol. i., p. 136], and he gives the following additional lines:—

“ Vivimus hen si tanquam omnes, mors nulla sequatur,
 Et ponce infirmi fabula vana forent. Ergo, mors tua
 Mors Christi, fraus mundi, gloria cœli, Et dolor inferni
 Sunt meditanda tibi.”

Cork.

“ The French Church,” Cork, in “ French Church-street,” is now a Methodist Chapel.

R. R. Brash is buried here ; no tombstone over him with any inscription, but I was informed that two handsomely-carved old chairs which are in the Chapel were given by his sisters in memory of him.

The burial-ground alongside is only about 10 yards square ! and has, I think, but one tombstone in it.

A Mr. M'Navan, I was told, could give the best information about the old Registers and Church Plate of this church.

P. D. V.

August, 1893.

We were informed that there is a Jews' burial-ground on the high land over the River Lee, near General Bowles's place, a short distance from Cork.

Doneraile Parish.

[From Major J. Grove White, 57th Regt.]

(Continued from vol. iii., p. 43.)

“ Sacred to the memory of GORGES GRAHAM 2nd son of the late WILLIAM GRAHAM of Meath, Capt. 71st Highland Light Infantry, who died August 18th, 1879, in the 64th year of his age. ‘ Absent from the Body Present with the Lord, God giveth his beloved sleep.’ ”

[Upright stone.]

“ Sacred to the memory of CHRISTINA COWAN PHILIPS died April 23RD 1877 aged 8 months. ‘ Of such is the Kingdom of Heaven.’ ”

[Upright stone.]

“ Erected by a friend to the Memory of Miss BRIDGET SMITH who departed this Life June 16th 1834 aged 24 years.”

[Slab on ground.]

"Sacred to the memory of ELIZA OGALVIE who departed this life on the 12th Sept. 1825 in the 23rd year of her age.
'Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord.'"

[Altar tomb.]

"Sacred to the memory of MARY JANE daughter of the Rev. GEORGE H. IRWIN who departed this life April 27, 1848. Aged 23 years."

[Upright stone.]

"Here lies the remains of WILLIAM STAWELL Esqre. of Kilbrack who departed this life the 17th day of February A.D. 1830. Aged 85 years."

[Altar tomb.]

"This stone is erected by CATHERINE HUNT in memory of her beloved husband JOHN HUNT Esqre. who departed this life Jany. 22nd 1843. Aged 75 years. Requiescat in pace. Amen."

[Slab on ground.]

"CHRISH. CUDMORE erected this in memory of his wife MARY CUDMORE who departed this life Jany the 27th 1804 aged 37 years."

[Slab on ground.]

"Sacred to the Memory of Mr. CHRISTOPHER CUDMORE of Ballyclough who died June 9, 1820. Aged 60 years, deeply regretted not only by his affectionate family but by a numerous circle of acquaintanees to whom he endeared himself by probity and every christian virtue. Also DANIEL CUDMORE called home 6th Nov. 1890. Aged 73 years."

[Slab on ground.]

"Sacred to the memory of JAMES UPINGTON who departed this life Sept. 29th 1847. Aged 73 years."

[Slab on ground.]

"HERE LYES THE BODY OF IOHN IONS WHO
DEPARTED THIS LIFE THE 8 DAY OF IVLY ANNO
DOMINI 1726 IN THE 35 YEAR OF HIS LIFE."

[Upright stone.]

"In memory of the infant son of JOSEPH BURTT and
ISABELLA MARY BINTON Died Jan'y. 5th 1869."

[Upright stone.]

"RICH'D. FETHERSTONE Erected this stone in memory of
his Father THOS. FETHERSTONE who died Octr. 18th
1798. Aged 66 years. His son JOHN died May 5th
1798 (?) aged 19 yrs. and GEORGE Octr. 17th 1798
aged 19 years."

[Upright stone.]

"This is the Burying place of Mr. JOHN HOUSTONS and
his family 1743. Also the body of his daughter ANNE
who"(remainder hidden underground.)

[Upright stone.]

"Erected by ROBERT H. FETHERSTONE in memory of his
beloved wife SARAH who depd. this life 27th August 1827
aged 47 years."

[Upright stone.]

"The Burial place of WILLIAM FETHERSTON and Family."

[Upright stone.]

"The Burial place of JOHN MANN and Family; JOHN MANN
died June 1st 1813; MARY MANN died Nov. 8 1824."

[Upright stone.]

"The Burying Place of JAMES WADSNONH [?] from Enniskillen
and his Family, 1764."

[Upright stone.]

"Here lyeth the body of THOMAS HAZARD who departed this
life March 12, 1805, aged 43 years."

[Upright stone.]

"Sacred to the Memory of a Beloved Parent JOHN HAYCROFT
who died April 15th 1845 aged 60 yrs. Erected by his
affectionate children as a token of their love. Also to the
Memory of their beloved Brother JOHN HAYCROFT junr.
who died Decr. 27th 1847 aged 44 years."

[Upright stone.]

"Sacred to the Memory of MARY HAYCROFT who departed
this life the 14th of October 1841, aged 65 years.

A wife most kind a mother dear
A faithful friend lies buried here
My days are past my glass is run
My children dear prepare to come."

[Upright stone.]

"To the memory of CHRISTIAN HAYCROFT who died 12th
March 1812 Aged 12 months. MARY HAYCROFT (her grand
mother) Died 9th June 1819 aged 84 years. LUKE H.
HAYCROFT died 22nd April 1830 aged 24 years.

Let angles (*sic*) guard their sleeping dust,
Till Christ shall come to raise the just
Then may they wake with sweet surprise
And in their Saviour's image rise."

[Upright stone.]

"Sacred to the memory of our beloved child JOHN H. BOLTON
late Captain in 9th Foot who departed this life September
14th 1871 aged 33 years. I am the Resurrection and
the life said the Lord.—John xi. 25, 26."

[Upright stone.]

"Sacred to the memory of our Darling Beloved child JAMES
HAZARD BOLTON who died March 19th 1866 aged 16 years.
A treasure in the Heavens.—Luke xii. 33.

O lost too soon ! O loved too well
Too dear for death farewell, farewell
One soothing solace yet is given
Tho' lost on earth, thou liv'st in heaven
Fond faith forbids us to deplore
The loved not dead but gone before."

[Upright stone.]

"Here lies the Body of MATHEW COUCH who departed
this Life May the 5th 1780 aged 82 years."

[Upright stone.]

"Here lies the body of THOS. CUMINS who departed
this life 10th of Sept. 1767 aged 2 years."
[Rest under ground.]

[Upright.]

"In memory of the Rev. HENRY SOMERVILLE, B.A., Rector for 33 years of Doneraile and Templeroan. He died May 10, 1867, aged 63. This simple tribute of affection has been erected by his Relations Friends and Parishioners."

[Upright.]

"Here lies the body of ELIZABETH wife to THOMAS O'LEARY, who died the 28th of Decemr. 1790, aged 50 years."

[Slab.]

"Here lyeth the body of JAMES CHAPMAN son to JOHN CHAPMAN who departed this life the 10th day of June 1734 in the 54 year of his age. Here also lyes the Body of his wife MARGARET TAYLOR she Departed this Life the 7th day of January 1736 in the 64 year of her age and ye Body of ELIZABETH " [Rest under ground.]

[Upright.]

"JOHN SHEPARD 1724 " [Can't read remainder.]

"Here Lyeth ye Body of ANN DEAN wife to WILL WHYTELL who Departed this life the 5th day of May Anno Dom. 1729 aged 67 years."

[Upright.]

"Here lies the Body of MATHEW COUCH who Departed this Life May the 15th 1780 aged 82 years."

[Upright.]

"Here lyes the Body of THOMAS CUMMINS [illegible] The 28 A.D. 1727 " [Rest under ground.]

[Upright.]

"Here lyeth the Body of GEORGE ATKINS Who Departed this Life November the 30 1756 aged 72 years. Also the Body of MARY His wife and Daughter of THOMAS CUMMINS who Departed this life April the 21st 1746 aged 48 years with five of his children."

[Upright.]

"Here lyeth the Body of RICHARD ATKINS and BARBARA his wife He Departed this Life the 10 Day of December 1710 aged 91. She Departed this Life the 16 day of May 1710 aged 74."

[Upright.]

"Here lyeth the Body of FELIX NOYLAND who Departed this Life the 22 day of January in the 65 year of his age Anno Dom. 1746."

[Upright.]

"Here lyeth the Body of ELIZABETH FERGUS and JOHN HINCHLEY sister and son to HILDEBRAND HINCHLEY She died the 26th day of June 1738 aged 44 years. He died the 5th day of December 1741."
[Rest under ground.]

[Upright.]

"Here lyeth the Body of JANE wife of the Revd. GETHIM CRONE who Departed this life the 21st day of January 1778 aged 35 years." [Rest illegible.]

[Slab.]

'The following are not the full inscriptions':—

"ELIZABETH CHAPMAN wife to HENRY SMITH died 21 Feby. 1719." [Rest illegible.]

[Upright.]

"Erected by ANNE GAVIN to her husband BRICE GAVIN, he died 10 Sept. 1804."

[Upright.]

"Erected by JULIA STONE to her husband WILLIAM STONE he died 11 Dec. 1775 aged 49."

[Upright.]

"JANE WALKER wife of RICHARD WALKER, died 23 JULY 1762 aged 64."

[Upright.]

"Erected by ELLEN POWER to her mother she d. 11 Feb. 1811. Also to her sister CATHERINE RICE, died 6 Oct. 1824."

[Upright.]

"Erected by SARAH WALL to her father WILLIAM BURKE, he d. June 1778 aged 83. Also his wife d. 17 Feb. 1805 aged 96. Also his dau. MARY, d. 11 Feb. 1805."

[Upright.]

"GEORGE BLACKALL, died 1757" [rest under ground.]

[Upright.]

"Erected by WILLIAM and HUGH OLIVER to their brother
THOMAS, he died 1814. Also their sister ELLEN, d. 1819"
..... [rest illegible.]

[Upright.]

"Erected by TAMSIN COLLIGIN to her son DAVID, he d.
21 Sept. 1816 and two of her grand children JOHN and
TAMSIN COLLIGIN" [rest under ground.]

[Upright.]

"MARY, dan. of JOHN WALKER and ELIZABETH CONNELL,
d. 9 May 1735 aged 20" [rest under ground.]

[Upright.]

"ANNE CRONE of Curraghna hinchies" [rest under ground.]

[Upright.]

"CATHERINE SMITH d. 10th Sept. 1813."

[Upright.]

"JOHN SMITH d. 17 Nov. 1796 aged 78."

[Upright.]

"GEORGE ADOLPHUS LIST died 10 April 1849 aged 45. Also
SARAH ELIZABETH his wife died 19 Jan. 1883 aged 72."

[Upright.]

"WILLIAM SHAW died 12 Jany. 1868 aged 58. Erected by
MARY ANN his wife. Also to his first wife SARAH, died
20 Sept. 1854 aged 51."

[Upright.]

"WILLIAM, son of WM. and SARAH SHAW died 22 Sept.
1846, aged 4."

[Upright.]

"ELLEN wife of RICHARD COX, died 3 May 1803."

[Slab.]

"ELIZABETH wife of Sergt. Major WILLM. HULIN 25th Foot
died 23 April 1806, aged 33."

[Slab.]

"ELIZABETH MIDE late of England died 26 June 1813,
aged 77."

[Upright.]

"CLEMINTINE wife of MICHAEL BARRY, d. 6 Aug.
1844." [rest illegible.]

[Upright.]

"DENIS B. O'CONNOR d. 11 July 1879 aged 70.
MARGARET HAINES his wife died 6 Mar. 1884 aged 75."

"JOHN BARRY and his brother PATRICK d. 1709."
[Rest under ground.]

[Upright.]

"WM. BURKE WALL died June 1827 aged 19."

[Slab.]

"RICH. WALL died 6 Dec. 1704."

[Upright.]

"WM. WALL died 4 July 1787 aged 31."

[Upright.]

"SAM WALL died 1 Nov. 1819 aged 16.
MARY WALL died 1 Nov. 1825 aged 51."

[Altar tomb.]

"Burial place of JAMES COGHLAN and family."

"ELLEN wife of GEORGE HARDING died 11 Dec. 1828
aged 45."

[Monument.]

"MR. JOHN LOTHIAN died 28 July 1849 aged 87. And
his wife BRIDGET died 31 Dec. 1829 Erected by their
son LIEUT. J. H. LOTHIAN 9th Regt."

[Slab.]

"An altar tomb and tombstone to members of family of GALWAY."

"The family Burial Places of VISCOUNT DONERAILE, —
EVANS of Carker, and LANGLEY late of Ballyellis, are
under the church."

"There is a vault and altar Tomb of the CREAGH Family
of Doneraile (late of Laurentinum)."

Doneraile Church.

‘In the churchyard, a marble cross’ :—

“In Memory of my husband HAYES, 4th Viscount Doneraile
Born Oct. 1st 1818, Died Aug. 26th, 1887 and of my
children HAYES WARHAM Born Aug. 21st Died Aug. 25th
1852 and MAY Born Nov. 30th 1854, Died May 6th 1867.”

Kinsale.

[From the Rev. J. Lindsay Darling, Rector of Kinsale, 1894.]

‘Copies of inscriptions’ :—

“MORS OPTIMA QVIES. HERE LYETH
THE BODY OF SIR IOHN DOWDALL
OF KILLFANY KNIGHT WHO

* * * * *

OF MAY ANNO 1623.”

“HERE LYETH THE BODY OF CAPT
ALEXANDER BIGGAR OF LORD

ROTHES REG^{MT} A MAN ENDVED

WITH ALL THE MORAL VIRTVES

* * * *

AND A FAITHFVL FRIEND ONE WHO

LOVED GOD ABOVE ALL THINGS

HIS NEIGHBOUR AS HIMSELF

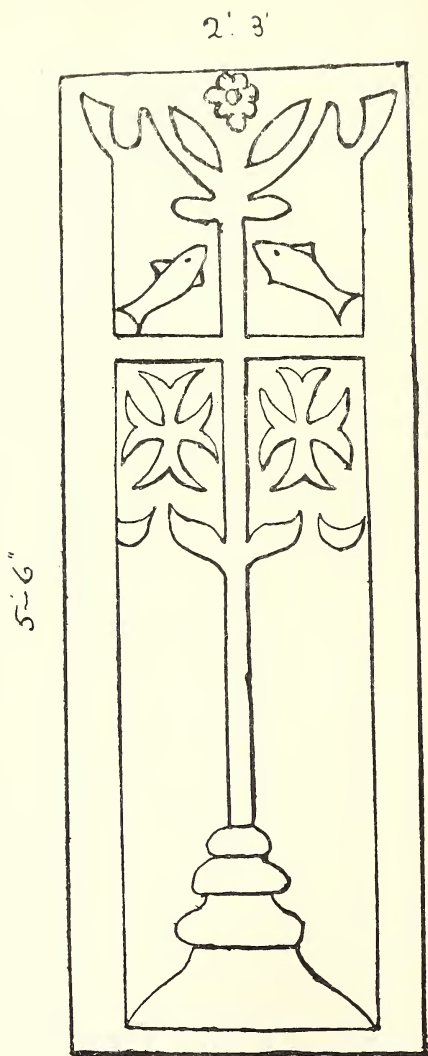
DEPARTED THIS LIFE THE 26 OCTO^{BER}

1738 AGED 46 YEARS.”

‘The floors of the pews rest on cement joists, which cover the portions of the inscriptions marked thus :— * * * *

‘I have found out nothing more of the history of Captain Biggar than the stone records. Of Sir John Dowdall uore is known. If you have O’Hart’s “Irish Pedigrees,” you can see something about him on p. 28 (Allen Family); and on p. 65. “Kilfenny” is in Co. Limerick, I believe. But the following extract from Caulfield’s “Annals of Kinsale” (page 345) will explain how Sir John came to be buried in Kinsale, and in that particular part of the ancient church of St. Multose, where the Southwells were laid to rest’ :—





AT MOURNE ABBEY, NEAR MALLOW,
COUNTY CORK.

“SOUTHWELL, SR. THOMAS, of Poulnelong,* Co. Cork, Knt., died June 12, 1626. He mar. ANN, dr. of Serjeant HARRIS, and sister to Judge HARRIS, by whom he had issue an only dr., ELIZABETH, first mar. to Sir JOHN DOWDALL, Knt., and 2ly to DONOGH O'BRIEN, s. and h. to Sir DONOGH O'BRIEN, Knt.”

Mourne Abbey.

Lewis, in describing Mourne Abbey, says :—

‘It is also called Ballinamona ; it is $3\frac{1}{4}$ miles south from Mallow, on the mail road to Cork. It was anciently called Temple-Michael, from a Preceptory of Knights Templars founded here in the reign of King John by an Englishman named Alexander de St. Helena.

‘The skeleton of the church, said to have been 180 feet long, still remains, but destitute of the mouldings and other ornamental parts of the masoury.’

The annexed drawing [by the late G. V. Du Noyer] is one of the very few examples we have of the sacred fish being represented on a tombstone.

COUNTY DONEGAL.

The following extracts from the *Derry Journal*, kindly sent us by the Rev. J. H. Steele, we have inserted under “Donegal,” as they appear to belong to that county.

Derry Journal, 9th March, 1813.

“Died at Murvagh, Co. of Donegal, Mrs. ALCOCK, wife of the Rev. Dr. ALCOCK, V.G. of Raphoe. In the several duties of life, as a daughter, a sister, a wife, and a mistress of a family, and a kind neighbour to all around her, she had no superior. She died in her 88th year, in a good old age, in every sense of the word.”

[‘The above-named Mrs. Alcock was ANN, daughter of WILLIAM PATERSON, Esq., of Plaister, parish of Taughboyne, County of Donegal (by

* ‘Poul-na-long, a castle on the Bandon River, six or seven miles from Kinsale.’—(J. L. D.)

the dau. of — MORGAN, Esq., his wife), and sister of ANDREW PATERSON, Esq., of Mason Lodge, in same parish and county; and of JAMES PATERSON, Esq., of Plaister and Magherafelt.']

Derry Journal, Tuesday, 29th April, 1817.

“At Raphoe, in the 86th year of his age, the Rev. Dr. ALCOCK.
His long life was passed in doing all the good in his power,
as a clergyman, as a magistrate, and as a friend.”

‘A silhouette of the Ven. John Alcock, LL.D., Archdeacon and V.G. of Raphoe, is in the possession of the Rev. J. H. Steele, endorsed on the back as follows:—“The Revd. John Alcock, D.D., Rector of Drumholme, and grand-uncle of mine. (Signed), I[SABELLA] MARSHALL.” Mrs. Isabella Marshall was the eldest dau. of Capt. WM. PATERSON, H.E.I.C.S., of Mason Lodge, County Donegal, and 2nd wife of the Rev. GEORGE MARSHALL, Rector of Donagh, in the same county.’

Raphoe.

[From R. McNulty, Esq., Raphoe, 1896.]

‘The following inscriptions are from memorial stones in the church and graveyard at Raphoe. As is well known, the ancient church there was founded by St. Adamnan (Eunan), whose name it still bears. From very early Christian times Raphoe was the seat of a bishop, and after the Reformation it became a Protestant See, George Montgomery being appointed its first Reformed Bishop, in 1605. St. Eunan’s was the cathedral church of the diocese. Parts of the present edifice are believed to have been erected in the twelfth century; and, through the exertions of its present incumbent, Canon Richard Bennett, some beautiful old sedilia have recently been restored, the chancel roof renewed, and windows restored after the ancient style.

‘The font in the church bears the following’ :—

“EX • DONO IOANNIS • POOLEY • S.T.D.
EPIS • RAPOT • ANNO • DOM • 1706.”

‘The first inscription is from a stone in the church, in the north-east corner of the chancel, which appears to mark the burial-place of one of the most considerable of the settlers in the district in the Plantation days.

‘Inscription No. 2 is on a stone near the middle of the chancel, and tells in “quaint Latin elegiacs” of the worth and beauty of the young wife of Dean ADAIR, who himself is described in the Visitation Book of the year 1622 as “an elegant scholar and a good preacher of God’s Word, given to hospitality and good conversation.”

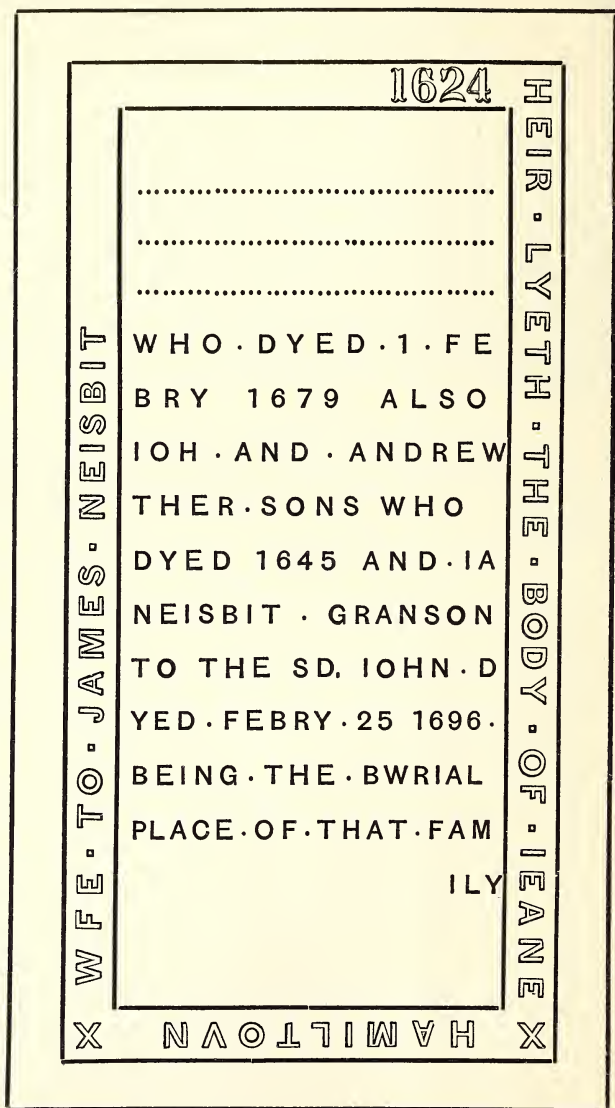
‘No 3 is a tablet in the south wall of the chancel, placed in sculptured work surmounted with arms.

‘No. 4 is a small plain tablet on the same wall.

‘No. 5, a memorial tablet, is the only one in the east end of the chancel, and the next two (Nos. 6 and 7) are placed in the north wall of the chancel. All the others are in the graveyard around the church, and most of them are sufficiently full to require no remarks. I have not ascertained anything as to the family of GORDON (No. 11). ALEXR. MONTGOMERY (No. 13) was a well-known personage in his day; he was ancestor of Col. ROBERT G. MONTGOMERY, of Convoy, Raphoe, an extensive landowner. He was a member of the Irish House of Commons, and a great duellist, many of his exploits being still related by the people of the district, among whom he was popularly known as the great “Sandy Montgomery.”

‘The last inscription (No. 14) is interesting as shewing the unusual vitality possessed by several members of one family living in the immediate neighbourhood.’

No. 1.



‘The upper part of this stone is defaced and mortar-covered.’

No. 2.

ADARI CONIVNX IACET HIC TVMVLATA DECANI .
 BINAQVE BIS VITÆ LVSTRA PER ACTA SVÆ
 BIS BINOS NATOS PEPERIT BINIQVE SVPER SVNT
 OCCVBVERE PRIVS MASQVE PVELLA . DVO
 INFANTES TENERI TVMVLO TVMVLATVRI ILLO
 CVM GENITRICE SVA . LAVDE MANENTESVA
 PRÆLVXIT VIRTUTE ALIIS . PIETATE BEATA
 LŌGE ALIAS SVPERĀS . SIMPLICITATE GENVS
 VOX . ANIMVS . VVLTVS . GESTVS . TVM CÆTERA VITA
 GESTA CANVNT LAVDIS NON MORITVRA SVÆ
 OBIIT IENETA HOVSTOVN ÆTATIS SVÆ
 20 . IANVARII 24 . ANNO 1618.

TRANSLATION.

‘Here lies buried the wife of the Dean of Derry, twenty years of her life gone through. She bore twins twice—one pair survived; the former, a boy and a girl, died. Two tender infants are buried with their mother in this tomb. Her esteemed memory remaining, she outshone others in virtue, far surpassing them in happy piety, in simplicity. Her breeding, voice, soul, look, bearing, the other adjuncts of her life as well, sing of a praise not likely to pass away. JENETA HOUSTON died 24th January, 1618, aged 20.’

No. 3.

“ MEMORIÆ SACRUM

ALICIÆ FILIÆ UNICÆ SAMVELLIS
 MOORE LONDINATIS CHARISSIMÆ
 FÆMINÆ ET DILECTISSIMÆ CONIV-
 CIS EZEK. HOPKINS EPISCOPI RAPO.
 QUÆ CUM XI ANNOS SANCTO ET
 INTEMERARIO CONNUBIO SUM MISER
 CA DEUM PIETATE ERGA MARITUM
 FIDE ET OBSEQUIO, ERGA PROLEM
 AFFECTU, ERGA OMNES CHARITATE
 ET BENEVOLENTIA, TRANSEGISSET
 PLACIDE OBDORMIVIT IN CHRISTO
 XXI MAIÆ MDCLXXXI
 MERITÆ MŌERENS POSUIT.”

No. 4.

“This Stone only Shows
 that under y^e Holy Table Lie
 The Mortal Remains of
 NICHOLAS FORSTER
 27 Years Bishop of this Dioceses
 He died y^e 5th of June 1743 Aged 79
 What he was let Gratitude tell
 May his Successours Imitate him.”

No. 5.

D. O. M.

GUILIELMUS ARCHER BUTLER A.M.

RATH MOTHACHLÆ RECTOR IN DIOCESI RAPOTENSI

APUD DUBLINIENSES IN ETHICIS PROFESSOR

THEOLOGUS POETA PHILOSOPHUS

OPTIMIS INGENII DOTIBUS SUMMÆQUE ELOQUENTIÆ PRÆDITUS

MULTA PRO ECCLESIA CHRISTI FELICITER CONSCRIPSIT

PLURA MOLIEBATUR

VIRIS ILLE BONIS DOCTISQUE JUXTA CARUS

INTEGER VITÆ MATURUS ANIMI

RELIGIONE DIVINCTUS CONCIONIBUS POTENS

ÆQUALIUM DECUS SIMUL ET EXEMPLAR

MALIGNA FEBRI CORREPTUS

EHEU QUAM INTEMPESTIVE

E TERRIS MIGRAVIT A.D. MDCCCXLVIII ÆTATIS SUÆ XXXVII

TRISTE DESIDERUM SUPERSTITIBUS RELIQUENS

AMICI PIE MEMORES HOC ILLI MONUMENTUM PONI VOLUERE

No. 6.

SACRED

To the Memory of the
RIGHT REV^D D^r JAMES HAWKINS

and Catherine his Wife
He was Bishop of this Diocese
for 27 Years
and died 23rd June 1807
aged 83

During their long residence at Raphoe
they lived in the unostentatious exercise
of charity hospitality and
kindness to all, and died in the
pure spirit and humble hope of
sincere Christians



No. 7.

“VIRI ADMODUM REVERENDO

GULIELMO BISSET

PRÆSULI

CUM . SUMMA . BENIGNITATE . JUSTISSIMO

MONUMENTUM HOCCE HONORARIUM

AMICI LUGENTES PONI CURAVERUNT

AURI FUIT INGENIO ET STUDIIS INSTRUCTUS EXQUISITIS

GRÆCIS ET LATINIS LITERIS NEMO SUBTILORVE

SED AD EPISCOPATUM HUNC RAPOTENSEM

CUNCTIS SUFFRAGIIS ERECTUS

OFFICIA PIETAT OMNIBVS HISCE ARTIBVS PRÆPOSUIT
 IN NEGOTIIS ADMINISTRANDIS DILIGENS
 IN HORTATIONIBUS GRAVIS AC MANSUETUS
 NEC QUANQUAM AD SEDEM IN ECCLESIA DEI
 CELSIOREM SOLLICITE VOCATIS
 HÆC LOCA LINQUERE VOLUIT
 INTRA SEMITAS NOTAS CARASQ : TRANQUILLE CONS
 QUANTA FUIT LIBERALITATE QUANTA PATIENTIA
 AD SUBSIDIUM PAUPERUM AD SOLAMEN MISERORUM
 TESTENTUR, PESTILENTIA AB HINC SEPTEM ANNIS GRAVITER ÆGROTANTES
 VOCE EJUS RECREATI MANU LEVATI OTIBUS SUCCURSI
 TESTENTUR MILLE SOLATII NUNC EXPERTES
 FIDEI PURÆ ET INTEMPERATÆ IN HAC DIOCESI
 ULTIMUS EHEU ! FUIT EPISCOPUS
 NATUS EST VI CAL NOV MDCCLVIII
 IN SEDEM EPISCOP. ACCESSIT MDCCCXXII
 OBIIT NON. SEPT. MDCCCXXXIV."

TRANSLATION.

‘ With great kindness, mourning friends have taken care to place this monument in honour of that most just prelate, and much-to-be-revered man, WILLIAM BISSETT. He had an intellect of gold, and was versed in the refinements of Greek and Latin literature. Nobody was more unaffected ; but he was raised by the unanimous vote (of the Chapter) to this bishoprick of Raphoe. Diligent in the administration of affairs, serious, and experienced in exhortation, he was appointed to discharge all these offices of piety ; and, though pressingly called to a higher place in the Church of God, he was reluctant to leave this place, with its dear familiar paths. How liberal, how patient he was, in the relief of the poor, in the comforting of the miserable, can be testified by those who were grievously ill of the pestilence seven years ago. They were diligently visited in his spare time, cheered by his voice, raised by his hand. A thousand who have experienced his consolation can testify to his faith “ pure and undefiled ” in this diocese. Alas for him ten thousand times ! He WAS a bishop. He was born on the 27th October, 1758, advanced to the See, 1822, and died 5th September, 1834.’

No. 8.

“M.S.

REV. ADMODUM IN CHRISTO PATRIS AC DOMINI
 JOHANNIS OSWALD S.T.D. PERMISS DIVINA
 PER ANNOS FERE XVII. RAPOTENSIS EPISCOPI
 QUI MORIBUS ET MORTE DOCTRINAM DEI
 SERVATORIS ORNAVIT ET IN CAUDIUM DOMINI
 SUI INGRESSUS EST MARTI IV^o A.D. MDCCLXXX
 ETATIS SUÆ LXIII^o.”

No. 9.

“ Here lie the remains of D^r JAMES HAWKINS
 Bishop of Raphoe who departed this Life
 20 June 1807 aged 83.
 ALSO of CATHERINE his wife who departed
 this life in April 1803 aged 79.”

No. 10.

“ Beneath this Stone are laid the mortal remains
 of JANE BISSET the beloved wife of
 WILLIAM BISHOP OF RAPHOE
 she died on the 20th day of March 1823
 in the 60th Year of her age.

‘ She is passed from death unto life.’

Also the remains of ELIZABETH Relict of
 WILLIAM FENWICK Esq^r and sister of
 the above Bishop of Raphoe. She departed
 this life Oct^r 2nd 1846 aged 90 years.

‘ Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord.’ ”

No. 11.

*"Here under lyeth An
drew Gordon & Isabel
his wife who lived 43 Y
together then she dyed
Y^e 26 of may 77 and he
dyed Y^e 17 of feb 77
And left 2 sons John &
Alexander which
Alex. erected this tomb
1678."*

No. 12.

**"ERECTED BY ANDREW MCCLURE M.A.
SURGEON ROYAL NAVY TO THE MEMORY
OF HIS ANCESTORS WHO FOR UPWARDS
OF TWO HUNDRED YEARS RESIDED AT
FINDRUM AND WHOSE REMAINS ARE
DEPOSITED IN THE VAULT BENEATH
A.D. MDCCCLXI."**

'Over this inscription there is a crest with arms and motto.

'Crest—A domed tower, on the top a flag.

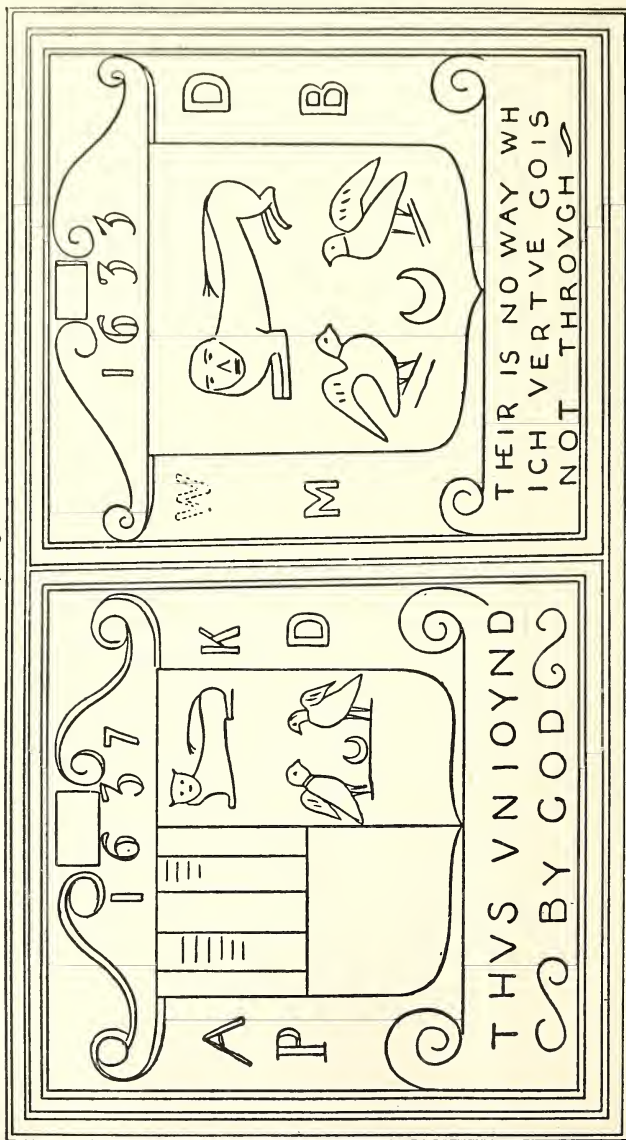
*'Arms—An arm fessewise erased at the elbow, the hand grasping a
dagger, point downwards, in chief 3 crescents.*

'Motto—SPECTEMUR AGENDO.'

No. 13.

**"Here lyeth the Body of Alex^r Montgomery
Esq^r who departed this Life 29th Sep^r 1800
Aged 78. He represented this once Inde-
pendent County 32 years."**

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AT COMBER CHURCH, CO. DOWN.

No. 14.

“Here lieth the body of
CHARLES CALLIN of Baltony
 who died 25 Aug 1775
 aged 86

Also of **DAVID CALLIN**

His brother aged 93

Also of **JAMES CALLIN**

Son of Charles Callin

who died 16 April 1852

aged 84

Also his sister **ELIZABETH CALLIN**

who died the 27 March

1859 aged 84 Years

Also Her sister

ANNIE

who died 5th July 1865

Aged 88 Years.”

COUNTY DOWN.

Comber Parish.

[From the Ordnance Survey Papers.]

This parish is situated between Belfast and Downpatrick, seven miles from Belfast. The church is dedicated to the Virgin Mary.

There was an ancient Cistercian abbey here, founded in 1199. The first monks were from Wales.

The church appears to be an old building; there is no tower or steeple.

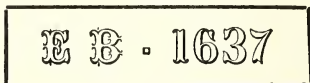
The annexed drawing of a monument dated 1633-1637 represents two separate slabs divided by a moulding; they are fixed into the church wall, on the south side, under the second window from the east.

The "W" in the older stone is broken away, but sufficient remains to trace it.

The size of these two stones is 4 ft. 6 in. by 2 ft. 3 in.

Mr. L. M. Ewart, in his excellent handbook, states that the old church of Comber was built in 1610, by Lord Montgomery, of the Ards. Erck gives the date of the church as 1738.

There is a small stone within the church marked—



The following is built into the south wall of the church; it has a raised border, and is 3 ft. 3 in. long by 1 ft. 9 in. wide:—

"O SPECTATOR QVAM DOLENDE
CHRISTO SI DIFFERS INSERI:
EJVS MORS CŒLORVM PORTA
SANCTIS QVA DATVR INGREDI:
HINC GLORIAMVR DORMIENTES
IN SPE ANASTASEΩΣ

I^M C
E C^{ORD}

1658."

TRANSLATION.

Mr. Garstin, F.S.A., writes:—

'The English equivalent seems to be :

" [Consider,] O spectator, how lamentable [it will be] if you put off being grafted into [or buried with?] Christ! His death is the gate of Heaven, by which it is granted to the saints to enter. Hence let us who lie sleeping here rejoice in the hope of the Resurrection. 1658."

'The first four lines are in metre, possibly intended to rhyme.

'The interchange of the Greek word for "Resurrection" is notable. The inscription seems not to refer to any family or individual, and might appropriately have been placed near the gate or entrance of a burial-ground.'

The remains of another stone is given, having the following imperfect inscription :—

I . I ELDER

1634

I . I T THE 2

1675

DEC 19

This is on a flat stone in the south side of the churchyard, nearly in line with the western end of the church.

Two other inscriptions from Comber are also given. The stones are fixed on the wall, and adjoin each other. The first has this inscription :— The other this :—

1666

HEIR . LYETH

JOHN . STINE

FEBR 25

AND HIS WIFE MAR

GRAT . STEVENS (?)

SEP : 12 . 1686

On making recent inquiry respecting these stones, we were informed that the building in which they were, was taken down "about sixty years ago," and a new church built in its place ; and the writer says he thinks no care was taken to preserve the memorials, and, so far as he knows, *NO TRACE remains of any of those about which we enquired !!** Some years since a tombstone erected to the memory of a former incumbent of Comber, which was lying uncared for in the graveyard, was fixed in the front wall of the church tower ; he lived here (Comber) from 1683 to 1711, and was Chaplain to Lord Mount Alexander.

We are indebted to the Rev. George Smith, Rector of Comber, for the following copy of the inscription on the stone just referred to :—

* This affords another and a very striking example of the necessity for recording inscriptions ; and we believe it to be but one of many in every county in Ireland.—ED.

“Near this Place Lyeth the body of y^e Reverend Mr EDMUND BENNET y^e late learned and Pious Minister of this Congregation and Chaplain to the Earle of Mount Alexander ; he died the 15th of febr^y 17th very much Lemented.” (*sic*)

Mr. Smith also informs us that he has a Register kept by the Rev. Edmund Bennet, above named ; this Register goes back to the year 1683.

Kilmegan Parish.

[From William Jackson Pigott, Esq.]

(Continued from vol. ii., p. 74.)



I.H.S.

“Here lieth the Body of MARY CRAWFORD who departed this life 6th June 1862 aged 67 years.”

“The Burying Ground of SAMUEL CUMMINS late of Ballybannon who departed this life 22nd July 1851 Also his daughter ELEANOR who Departed this life the 26th May 1859 Aged 21 years.”



“In Memoriam JAMES CUNNINGHAM who departed this life on the 18 June 1867 aged 47 years He was for a length of time Harbour Master at Dundrum where for his heroic and intrepid conduct in saving life on the 17 July 1862 he was awarded the Royal Humane Society's silver medal being one of his many act of perilling life for the safety of his fellow man. He was through life a consistant generous and honourable member of the Masonic Society and this monument is erected by a few of his brother Masons as a mark of their esteem and respect to his memory and a lasting tribute to his worth.”

“Initiated as Master Mason of St. James Lodge 197- Dundrum on the 6th December 1839. Past King and Companion of the Royal Arch Chapter Knights Templar, Hospetaller of St. John of Jerusalem Palestine, Rhodes and Malta a Master of the Levitical order of Priesthood and some time Junior Deacon of the Provincial Grand Lodge of Down.”

"Erected By LETITIA CUNNINGHAM of Castle Cottage
Dundrum in affectionate Remembrance of her father
mother and other members of her family She died on
4th September 1881 and is interred here."

"To the Memory of Capt. WM. W. DANIELL, R.N. who
departed this life Jan'y. 14th 1833 Aged 53 years."

"Here lieth the Body of MARGRET (*sic*) DAVISON wife
of HENRY DAVISON of Watterask who departed this
life March 1812 Aged 70 years."

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I.N.R.I.



"Here Lyeth the Body of JOHN DONNELL Who Departed
this Life March 25 ANDOMON (*sic*) 1721 aged 23 years."

"ROSAN^N DONON Departed this life June 4th 1847 Aged 30."

"Sacred to the Memory of DANIEL DOVE Master Mariner
who died at Dundrum County Down Ireland 21st
March 1887 aged 56 years."*

"To the Memory of BART^W. DUFF late of Castlwellan Who
departed this Life 2nd Feb^{ry}. 1780."

"Here lies the Remains of JAMES ENGLISH who dept this
life ye 18 June 1781 Aged 74 years Also his wife
JANE ENGLISH who depd. this life ye 25 April 1790
Aged 66 years."

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"Here Lies the Remains of ANDREW ENGLISH of Waterask
who depd. this life the 4 of December 1832 aged 84 years."



I.H.S.

"Erected To the memory of ELEANOR FITZPATRICK
Late of Ballywillwill who departed this life the 7th of
June 1810 Aged 42 Also her husband DANIEL FITZPATRICK
who departed the 3rd of May 1830 Aged 68 years."

* "Messrs. John Dove and Co., brother of Daniel, have a mineral water manufactory
at Pitt-street, Glasgow, and their Aunt, Margaret Dove, was married to Sir James
Bain, Knt., M.P. for Whitehaven, and formerly Lord Provost of Glasgow."

"In Memory of **MATHEW FORRESTER** Murlough Died
Feb. 1867 aged 85 years also his wife **MATILDA CAROLINE**
Died Oct. 1865 aged 52 years Requiescant in pace
Erected by their children."

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"Sacred to the Memory of **HANNAH MARIA FRAZER**
who died 30th of August 1853 Aged 17 years.

'This lovely bud so young and fair
Called hence by early doom
Just came to show how sweet a flower
In paradise would bloom.'

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"Here lieth the Body of **ROBERT GABBEY** of Ballyguney
who departed this life the 28th of March 1815 Aged
82 also his wife **ANN GABBEY** Who depart. this life the
8th of January 1801 Aged 80 years."

"Erected by **FRANCIS GALWAY** in Memory of his father
ARTHUR GALWAY of Moneylane who departed this
life 7th January 1838 Aged 65 years Also his mother
SARAH GALWAY who departed this life 12th March
1851 Aged 72 years."

"Underneath Lies the Body of **JOHN GORDON** who Depd.
this life Nov. 4th 1768 aged five years."

"Erected to the Memory of **MARGARET GOWDY** alias
HODGES of Castlewellan who departed this life 24 Decr.
1809 aged 46 years also her husband Surgeon **JOHN**
GOWDY who departed this life 19th May A.D. 1820
Aged 58 years."

"To the Memory of **THOMAS GRAHAM** who departed this
life May 9th 1780 aged 82 years, also **JAMES GRAHAM** who
departed this life July 2nd 1801 Aged 70 years Also
THOMAS H. GRAHAM July 1st 1838 aged 70."

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"In Memory of **JOHN GRANT** of Bryansford."

"Here lyeth ^e y Body of **MARY GREEN** who deceased Jan. ^e y
^e 21st 1706 and ^e y year of her age 26."

"Erected By FRANCIS GREEN of Waterask In Memory of his beloved wife JANE ANNE who died 15th March 1869 Aged 54 years Also his beloved daughter ELIZABETH who died 26th June 1871 aged 21 years Also the above FRANCIS died 14th April 1878 aged 72 years."

"Erected By FRANCIS GREEN Dundrum In Memory of his wife ANNE who died 29th July 1875 Aged 34 years."

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"Erected By THOMAS GREENE* In Memory of his beloved child CHARLOTTE SARAH who died the 20th of April 1869 Aged 2 years."



I.H.S.

"This is the burying place of PETER GRIBBIN of Waterask Also his son HENRY and wife."

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"Here lieth the Body of Mrs. ANN GWYN of Dundrum who departed this life May the 7th 1767 aged 67 years."

"This is the Burying ground of HUGH HANNA of Castlewella his wife NANCE HANA (*sic*) Interred here Augt. 1st 1823."

"Erected By WILLIAM HANNAH of Castlewella in Memory of his Mother ELIZABETH HANNAH who departed this life April the 19th 1854 Aged 48 years Also his sister JANE who departed this life July the 7th 1845 Aged 16 years Also his sister ELIZABETH who departed this life July the 3rd 1855 Aged 23 years Also his Grandfather JOHN TRINDLE who departed this life June the 29th 1839 Aged 66 years And also his Grandmother ELIZABETH TRINDLE who departed this life March the 22nd 1842 aged 66 years."

"Sacred To the Memory of ANDREW HANNEY who departed this life Feby. 1855."

"Sacred to the memory of MARIA HARRISON the beloved wife of SAMUEL HARRISON Esqr. of Dundrum who departed this life the 2nd February 1854 in the 69 year of her age The above SAMUEL HARRISON died 26th January 1856 Aged 86 years."

* 'This Thomas Green has changed the spelling of his name from the original.'

"Erected by FRANCIS HETHERINGTON of Moneycarra in
Memory of his beloved wife CATHERINE HETHERINGTON
who died 28th October 1862 Aged 65 years also
FRANCIS HETHERINGTON of Moneycarra who died Jan. 18th
1880 aged 77 years."

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"Erected By FRANCIS HETHERINGTON of Moneycarra In
Memory of his second wife MARGARET HETHERINGTON
who died 22nd April 1872 Aged 33 years.

'Dear Husband now my life is past
You have dearly loved me to the last
Grieve not for me but pity take
On my dear infant for my sake.'"

"Erected By ANN HILL In Memory of her father and Mother
DAVID and MARY GIBSON of Castlewellan Also her
Daughter ELIZABETH HILL died 19th May 1811
Aged 11 years."

"Here Lieth the Body of JANE HILL of Moneylane Who
depd. This Life May 1st 1812 Aged 18 years."

"Erected By JAMES HILL in Memory of his son ROBERT HILL
who died 21st September 1874 aged 25 years also his father
ROBERT HILL who died 4th February 1851 aged 82 years
also his sister HANNAH HILL who died 1st May 1841
aged 18 months."

"This is the Burying ground of ROBERT HILL Moneycarragh."

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"Here Lieth The Remains of JONATHAN HODGE who
departed this Life the 14 day of Guly (*sic*) 1805 Aged
47 years."

"Here Lieth the Body of ERVEN HOLLAND who depd.
this life August the 19th 1783 Aged 59 years."

We have been furnished with the Pedigree notes of those
marked [P.], in case any of our readers feel interested in them.
We regret the additional expense of printing them prevents us
from producing them here.

(To be continued.)

Newtownbreda.

[From Thomas Drew, Esqre., R.H.A.]

‘ ROWE, THE COMEDIAN.

‘ Inscription probably now non-existent, churchyard of Newtownbreda, or Knock-and-Breda, near Belfast ’:—

“ Public Gratitude erected this stone to the memory of
RICHARD COX ROWE, a celebrated comedian, born in Dublin
in the year MDCCLIV., and died at Belfast, where he was
universally admired on account of his merits as an actor,
and his gentleness of manners as a man, on the seventh
day of March, MDCCXCII.

‘ O Reader ! if talents could ever beguile
Thy bosom of cares and instruct thee the while ;
If e’er thou wast charmed from dull anguish or woe,
Pay a sigh—’tis a debt, o’er the relics of ROWE.”

—(From an old newspaper cutting.)

C O U N T Y D U B L I N .**Chapelized Parish.**

PALMERSTON OLD CHURCH, AT THE NEW MILLS OPPOSITE
THE “STRAWBERRY BEDS.”

[From W. Grove White, Esqre., LL.B.]

‘ On the inside of the south wall of the ruins of the old church ’:—

“ THIS MONUMENT IS ERECTED BY JOHN KEATING
ESQ, CHIEF JUSTICE OF Y COURT OF COMMON
PLEAS SECOND SON OF EDWARD KEATING OF
NARRAGHMORE IN THE COUN OF KILDARE BY
ELEANOR EUSTACE HIS WIFE DAUGHTER OF IO^N
EUSTACE IN THE CO. AFORESAID ESQ. IN MEMORY
OF Y LADY GRACE SHRUCKBURGH THE RELICT OF
THE SAID RICHARD SHRUCKBURGH OF SHRUCKBURGH
IN THE CO. OF WARWICK KNIGHT SHE WAS ONE OF
THE DAUGHTERS OF SIR THO^S HOLT OF ASTON

JUXTA BERMINGHAM IN SAID COUN BART AFTER
SOME YEARS VIDUITY ON THE 27 8 1659 SHE
INTERMARRIED WITH THE SAID IN THEN A STUDENT
AT LINCOLNS INN WITH WHOM HAVING LIVED WITH
MUTUAL COMFORT AND SATISFACTION SHE
DEPARTED THIS LIFE THE 12 APRIL 1677 AND IS
HERE INTERRED IN A VAULT WHEREIN ARE LIKEWISE
DEPOSITED Y ASHES OF THE SAID EDW^d AND
ELEANOR WHO HAD BOTH BEEN FORMERLY BURIED
IN THIS GROUND & WHEN IT SHALL PLEASE Y
ALMIGHTY TO PUT AN END TO THIS THE SAID
IONS PILGRIMAGE HIS DESIRES NOW ARE Y^t HIS
BONES MAY BE LAID BY THEIRS IF CONVENIENTLY
IT MAY BE."

'Judge Keating was dismissed by King James from the Council Board ;
also Lord Granard.—(Smollett, vol. ii., p. 9.)

'I saw neither crest nor coat-of-arms on the above monument.'

Clondalkin Parish.

[From notes taken by the Rev. C. T. McCready.]

'On pedestal in lawn of Moyle Park, near the gate lodge':—

CALDBECKS
POWDER MILLS, 1783.

EXTRACTS FROM PARISH REGISTERS.

- 1779, July 4.—HUGH son of HUGH WILSON Esq. and his wife ELINOR of
Collinstown (bapd.)
1789, Sept. 21.—BENJAMIN BROWN son of HUGH and ELINOR WILSON
Collinstown (bapd.)
1779, Oct. 26.—LADY BRADSTREET (aged) 82 of Kilmainham (buried).
1784, July 21.—ELIZ. POUNTNEY Dub(lin) aged 36 years (buried).
1788, Jan. 12.—ELIZ. FINLAY, Corka(gh) buried.
1798, Sep. 3.—Mrs. MARGARET TRAMASE, Dublin, in Fleet-street
(buried).

- 1799, June 4.—SAM BROADSTREET, aged 26 Dub(lin) Merrion Sq. (buried).
- 1799, Nov. 16.—HENRY BROADSTREET Dub(lin) (buried).
- 1803, Sep. 9.—WILLIAM CALDBECK Esq. Dublin (buried).
- 1805, Sep. 22.—HUGH WILSON Esq. Collinstown (buried).
- 1791, July 4.—ANN POUNTNEY Dub(lin) (do).
- 1810, May 12.—JAMES FINLAY, an infant, Clondalkin (buried).
- 1817.—LUCY GRANT, daughter of the late Revd. JNO GRANT from Dublin (buried).
- 1820, Mar. 3.—EDMUND BRADSTREET, Newtown Mt. Kennedy (buried).
- 1820, March 5.—HENRY NASSAU FINLAY, a child from Dublin (buried).
- 1821, June 24.—Mrs. ANNE CALBECK, aged 94 from French-street Dublin (buried).
- 1821, July 21.—MARY POUNTNEY, aged 83 from Dublin (buried).
- (1822.—An interment in the churchyard of Domina recorded—Blue Bell.)
- 1823, January 24.—JOHN FINLAY Esqr. died at Corkagh, of the effects of a rupture aged 72 (buried).
- 1824, Aug. 19.—JOHN READE of Clondalkin Glebe, aged 14 years (buried).
- 1826, Jan. 4.—LAURENCE RORKE of Nauger (?) aged 86 years (buried).
- 1826, Dec. 5.—Rev. ANDREW MILLS aged 25 years (buried).
- 1827, Jan. 10.—Alderman WM. EXSHAW aged 74 years (buried) and many of the same name before and after.
- 1827, Nov. 10.—LOUSIA HEALY, from Lord Kilwardens, aged 37 years (buried).
- 1829, Jan. 17.—MARY FINLAY of Dublin (buried).
- 1829, Feb. 15.—(The Widows' Cottages are mentioned).
- 1831, Jan. 19.—Miss ELIZA READE of Rathmines aged 25 (buried).
- 1803, April 18.—MARTHA daughter of the Revd. JOHN GRANT and JANE his wife (bapd).
- 1809, Mar. 15.—HESTER dau of same (bapd).
- 1811, May 16.—WM. EDWD. son of do. (bapd).
- 1816, Dec. 12.—HENRY NASSAU, son of THOMAS and URSULA FINLAY (bapd).
- 1824, June 5. Amongst those confirmed in this church by Archbishop Magee, are—
- CHAS. TOTTENHAM READE and
- DAVID JOHN READE.

MARRIAGES.

- 1802, Jan. 23.—RICHARD JEBB Esq. of Dublin to JANE LOUISA FINLAY of Clondalkin, by special license.
- Rev. JOHN READE minsr. of Clondalkin had been in Feb. 1809 curate of Stillorgan.
- 1817, March 25.—HARRIET CLANCY of Ballymount to CHARLES BLACKHAM of Crumlin (she is believed to have been born in Bride-street).

- 1823.—In Clondalkin Church by Consistorial licence **MICHAEL MILLS** Esqr. of Collinstown in the Parish of Clondalkin to **SARAH DIXON** of Grange in the Parish of Kilmadday (?) on 15 Dec. by Rev. JNO. READE.
- 1825.—In Anne's Church Dublin **LOUISA MILLER** of Clover Hill in Clondalkin Parish to **DANIEL KINAHAN** Esq. of Dublin Barrister May 19, by Rev. JNO. READE.
- 1831, Jan. 16.—**WILLIAM BACKS** a foundling bapd.
 „ June 24.—**CHARLOTTE LANDSDOWN** a foundling.
 „ Sept. 27.—**HENRY WETHERALL** a foundling bapd.
- 1832.—**LANDSDOWN VALLEY** (a place) mentioned
- 1837, Oct. 14.—Married by the Rev. **DAVID READE** in Clondalkin Church by license **ROBERT DIXON** Esqr. of Ballyfree, Wicklow, and **SARAH ANNE DICKSON** of Richmond Clondalkin
 buried 4 Jan. 1834.

ROBERT MILLS, of Dublin.

MICHAEL MILLS, Esq., of Collinstown, aged 69 years (buried).

EXTRACTS FROM THE OLD VESTRY-BOOKS OF CLONDALKIN.

- JAMES DIGGES LATOUCHE** and **ELIZABETH CHAIGNEAU** were married by his Grace y^e Archbishop of Dublin on the 7th day of April, 1735.
- THOMAS HASSARD** and **HENRIETTA CHAIGNEAU** were married by his Excellency the Lord Primate on y^e fourth day of May, 1743, by virtue of a licence from y^e Consistorial Court of Dublin directed to me.
FRANCIS WILSON, Vicar of Clondalkin.

BURIALS.

- 1772, Oct. 25.—**MICHAEL TRAMISE** a child.
 „ „ 31.—**ELIZABETH CHENEVISE**.
 1773, Dec. 16.—**Sir SIMON BRADSTREET** aged 29.
 ‘N.B.—I meet with the names of **William Caldbeck** (Barrister-at-Law) first in 1784 and 1785.’

LIST OF CHURCH-WARDENS CHOSEN FOR CLONDALKIN AT THE EASTER VESTRY IN EACH OF THE FOLLOWING YEARS.

[From the Vestry-Books.]

- 1728—**SAMUELL CALCOTT** and **CHAR. FARRAN**.
 1729—**Mr. HUGH ROE** and **Mr. JOHN PEARSON**.
 1730—**Mr. EDMOND HODSON** and **Mr. JOHN CLIFTON**.
 1731—**JOHN FALKINER** and **DAVID CHAIGNEAU**, Esq.
 1732—
 1733—**MATTHEW HOYLE** and **CHARLES FARRAN**.
 1734—**CHARLES FARRAN** and **MATTHEW HOYLE**.

- 1735—DAVID CHAIGNEAU, Esq., and EDWARD MADDEN, Esq.
 1736—Mr. JAMES DIGGES LA TOUCHE and Mr. ALFRED HOWARD.
 1737—Mr. WILLIAM ROE, of Corkagh, and Mr. HENRY ROE, of Knockmuteen.
 1738—EDMUND HUDSON, of Cappagh, and MICHAEL KNOWLES, of Clondalkin.
 1739—EDMUND HUDSON, of Cappagh, and JOSEPH FALKINER, of Nangor.
 1740—JOSEPH FALKINER, Esq., and EDMOND HUDSON.
 1741—Mr. SIMON SLINGSBY and Mr. ROBERT ORMSBY.
 1742—Mr. ANTHONY HALWELL and Mr. SIMON SLINGSBY.
 1743—Mr. ANTHONY HALWELL and SIMON SLINGSBY.
 „ 22 Dec.—Mr. BENJAMIN HUDSON and WM. LINTON.
 1744—Mr. CHARLES FARRAN and Mr. SAMUEL CALCOTT.
 1745—Mr. CHARLES FARRAN and Mr. SAMUEL CALCOTT.
 1746—Mr. SAMUEL CALCOTT and BENJAMIN HUDSON.
 1747—Mr. RICHARD MORGAN and WILLIAM LINTON.
 1748—Mr. ISAAC FINNAMORE and Mr. THOS. STYLES.
 1749—Mr. ISAAC FINNAMORE and Mr. HENRY HUDSON.
 1750—Mr. HENRY HUDSON and Mr. JOHN QUIN.
 1751—WILLIAM LINTON and JOHN HUDSON.
 1752—JOHN HUDSON and CHARLES FARRAN.
 1753—Mr. ALEX. McDANIEL (*sic*) and Mr. JOHN FARREL.
 1754—Mr. ALEXANDER McDONALD (*sic*) and Mr. SAMUEL CALCOTT.
 1755—Mr. ALEXANDER McDONALD and Mr. SAMUEL CALCOTT.
 1726—Mr. BENJⁿ HUDSON and Mr. PHILIP FARRAN.

(*To be continued.*)

Coolock Churchyard.

[From E. R. McC. Dix, Esq.]

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I H S

“HERE LIETH THE BODY OF THOMAS
WARD WHO DECEASED THE 16 DAY
OF JULY 1688 AGED 68 YEARES.”

Esker Parish.

[From Lord Walter FitzGerald, V.P. R.S.A.I.]

‘This churchyard is situated one mile to the south-east of Lucan. Large portions of the north, south, and west walls are still standing; but except for one ogee-headed, double-lighted window in the south wall, no features of interest are left in them. Portion of a double-belfry tops the western gable, up which run two buttresses. The church is long, and very narrow for its length. What may have been the chancel is level with the ground.

‘Lying in the west end of the church ruins is a large slab, which was smashed, about four years ago, by the fall of a portion of the belfry, into five or six different pieces; it was placed over the grave of the Rev. J. McCartan, who was killed by highway men in 1807, about a quarter of a mile along the Dublin road from Lucan; the spot is marked by a large slab built into the wall by the roadside (for the inscription on it, see under “Lucan”). On the slab over the grave is the following inscription’ :—

“Gloria in excelsis Deo.



Memento I H S Mori.

The United Parishes of Lucan and Palmerstown Erected this Tomb Stone over the Mortal Remains of the Revd. JAMES McCARTAN R. C. Curate of said Parishes as a grateful tribute of their Respect for and as a lasting Monument of their sincere Regret of the loss of that Worthy Clergyman by whose death Society was deprived of a Valuable Member and Religion of her most Zealous Minister. Lamentable to add He fell a Victim to the sacrilegious hands of a sanguinary Banditi by whom he was robbed and murdered on the Hill of Lucan on the 3rd day of June A.D. 1807 and in the 42nd year of his Age.

Requiescat in pace. Amen.”
(A chalice.)

[See Lucan Parish.]

“On another slab in the west end is inscribed’ :—

“Here lie the Remains of the Revd. JOHN KYAN who discharged the duty of a Faithfull Shepherd 35 years in Leixlip & the united Parishes after a long life of Piety and Virtue. He entered upon ye Reward of his Actions May 18th 1750. The Rev. JAMES KYAN Departed this Life Octobr. ye 6th 1773 in the 32nd year of his Age. A Christian. A CHRISTIAN.”

“In the east end of the church ruin is a flat slab to a Protestant clergyman’ :—

“Here lyeth the Body of the late Revd. WM. PERCY who died 12 179... in the 62nd year of his Age Respected by all who knew him, and Lamented by every Friend.”

‘On another slab in the east end, now broken in two, is the following’ :

“This stone was erected by BRYAN HACKET of Grange, County Dublin, over the Mortal Remains and to the memory of his beloved son WILLIAM much deplored by his disconsolate

Parints (*sic*) and Family to whom he had always shown a pattern of Morality and source of comfort, he was through Life respected and at Death regretted by all his acquaintance, was almost suddenly but not unprovidedly snatched from them in the 31st year of his Age on the 16th of November 1823. ' Also to the Memory of two infant Boys.'

' On a headstone, now lying flat ' :—



" Memento I H S Mori.

This Stone was Erected by JOHN TAYLOR of the City of Dublin Bricklayer in Memory of his Father & Mother ABRAHAM TAYLOR & MARG^r Old Inhabitants of Esker who lys Inter^d here Also two of s^d IOHNS children JOHN & MARGARET."

' On a granite headstone ' :—

" I H S

This Stone was Erected by CHRISTOPHER TOOLE for him and his posterity Ianuary the 1th 1764.

Here lyeth the Body of ANNE TOOLE Daught^{er} of the above ; mentione^d Age 9 years."

' A headstone ' :—

" I H S

This Stone and Burial Place Belongs to Mr. JAMES JACOB cloathier of Braithwith Street and his Posterity. Here lyeth the body of his Father Mr. PATRICK JACOB who died the 26th of December 1756 aged 66 years, here also lyeth 17 of his children and 6 of his grandchildren.

Requiescant in Pace."

' A headstone ' :—

" I H S

This Stone was Erected here by In^o IACOB of Ormond Market in y^e City of Dublin Dealer in memory of his Ance^{rs} Here lieth the Body of Mr. RICH^d IACOB of Raheen in the County of Kildare who Departed this life 17th March 1733 Aged 63 years and also CATRINE SHERLOCK wife of the above who departed this Life 15th July 1746 aged 72 with 4 of their childreⁿ MARGRET, W^m., JAMES, & BRIDGET, also In^o IACOB who died 17th April 1776 aged 60 years.

Requiescant in Pace."

‘At the back of this headstone is inscribed’ :—

“Remember man as you pass by as
you are now so once was I, as I am now
so must you be, prepare for death
& follow me.”

‘On a headstone’ :—

“Gloria in excelsis deo.

Memento I H S Mori.

Here lieth the remains of Mr. ROBERT RAFFERTY who departed
this life on the 22 of November 1805. Aged 59 years.”

‘A table-tomb’ :—

“This Stone was erected by HESTER GERAGHTY
in memory of her dear Parents

WILLIAM GERAGHTY	} who depar ^d this life	{	23rd Dec ^r 1800
and			
HESTER GERAGHTY			
alias NOWLAN			29th ap ^l 1808
And of her Ancestors			
RICH ^d NOWLAN	} who depar ^d this life	{	22nd Feb ^y 1724
JANE NOWLAN			20th Jan ^y 1730
alias WALSH			
MARY NOWLAN			6th Oct ^r 1760
alias QUIN and			
PAT ^k NOWLAN			27th Nov ^r 1777

and of her Sisters

MARY, HESTER, CATHERINE and JANE.
Requiescant in Pace.”

‘A headstone’ :—

“Gloria in excelsis Deo.



I H S

This stone was erected to the Memory of the Revd. THOMAS
SYNNOTT who departed this life May 27th 1809 in the
32nd year of his Age.

Here lies entombed in Manhoods’ perfect prime
The Good, the Pious, and the Learned Divine,
The Steady Christian and the Sincere Friend.
Whatever Man could wish or Heaven could send.
Obedient to God’s will he was resigned,
Full well he knew that Dust to Dusts consigned.
Firm in Belief in religious steps he trod,
Hoping to reign eternally with God.
All you who do these simple lines descry,
Think on his Virtues and by him learn to die.”



I.H.S.

"Here lyeth the Body of Mr. PATRICK NANGLE of Church-street, Vintner, who departed this life the 14th December 1788 Aged 34 years. Also here lyeth the Body of MARY his wife who departed this life 28th February 1789 Aged 36 years. Requiescant in Pace. Here also lieth the remains of Mr. CHRISTOPHER RAFFERTY of Grafton-street in the City of Dublin, Brother-in-law to the abovenamed PATRICK NANGLE, who departed this life the 16th day of June 1806 aged 49 years.

O Parent Ever dear, much honored Shade,
Whose cold Remains within the Tomb are laid.
What tho' translated from a life of pain
To where unfading Joys for ever reign;
Thy wife, thy children, ever must deplore
The loss of him their tears cannot restore."

[A table tomb.]

'The last few lines in the above inscription are all but illegible.'

Old Kill Churchyard.

[From Mrs. T. Long, Dublin.]

"HERE LYETH THE BODY OF JANE
FINIGAN, WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE
THE 12TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER IN
THE YEAR OF OUR LORD GOD ANNO
DOMINI 1692.

AND ALSO HERE LYETH YE BODY
OF PETER FINIGAN WHO DEPARTED
THIS LIFE THE 12TH DAY OF JUNE
IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD GOD
1694.

THIS STONE WAS CAUSED TO BE MADE
BY BRYAN FINIGAN FOR HIM AND HIS
POSTERITIE, ALSO THE BODY OF
MRS JUDITH BUTLER ALIAS FINIGAN
WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE THE 14TH
OF OCTOBER 1790 AGED 75 YEARS."

“This tomb was erected by **MR. EDWARD BUTLER** of the City of Dublin Merchant to the memory of his beloved and affectionate wife **Mrs. FRANCIS BUTLER**, Who departed this life the 11th of Dec., 1809, aged 54 years.
May She rest in peace. Amen.”

“This stone and burial place belongeth to **PATRICK SWAN** and his posterity being set up at his own expense and here lieth the Body of **ANDREW SWAN** who died the 22nd Day of July 1744 Aged 17 years. Also **MICHAEL SWAN** who died the 6th of September, 1747, Aged 18 years, and **CATHERINE SWAN**, wife of the above named **PATRICK SWAN**, she died May the 25th 1774, Aged 74. May they rest in glory.
Amen.”

Lucan Churchyard, Parish of Lucan.

[Kindly contributed by Lord Walter FitzGerald, V.P., R.S.A.I.]

‘The ruins of the old church, burial-ground, and the castle of the Sarsfields, lie in the Lucan demesne in rear of the stables. The private burial-place of the Vesey family lies alongside the old castle; it contains a few modern headstones, and tablets, and a mural monument in the northern wall. This monument is of black and white marble, and consists of a child leaning over a medallion bearing a man’s head in relief, with a plain pyramidical background, all supported on a couple of brackets, between which is a tablet bearing the following incised inscription’ :—

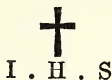
“This Chappel was repair’d by **JANE LADY BUTLER**, and this Monument erected to the Memory of her dearly Beloved Husband A.U. deceased the 23rd of March An: Domi: 1738, with whom she is interr’d Where thou Dyest there will I dye, and Where thou art buried, there will I be buried also.”

‘Of the abovenamed individuals, Burke, in his “Landed Gentry,” says’ :—

“The Right Hon. Agmondisham Vesey, 2nd son of the Most Revd. John Vesey, Archbishop of Tuam, and brother of Sir Thomas Vesey, Bart., grandfather of the 1st Viscount De Vesci, married first Charlotte, daughter and sole heir of William Sarsfield, Esq., of Lucan, eldest brother of Patrick, Earl of Lucan, and by her had issue two daughters. He married secondly Jane, daughter of Captain Edward Pottinger (and relict 1st, of John Reynolds of Killabride, and 2ndly, of Sir Thomas Butler, Bart., of Cloghrennan), by whom he [had] issue four sons and four daughters.”

‘The neighbouring burial-ground is ill-kept, and since the new cemetery for Lucan was opened, this one has been closed; there appear to be no monuments of interest in it.

‘About a quarter of a mile from the town of Lucan, along the Dublin road, built into the St. Edmondsbury demesne wall, is a large coffin-shaped slab marking the spot where years ago a Priest was robbed and murdered by highwaymen. At the head of the slab is an



and on either side of it a cherubim, below is the inscription in incised letters.’

We have given this inscription in vol. i., p. 175.—[Ed].

‘Father McCartan was buried in the neighbouring churchyard of Esker, inside the west end of the church ruins. Over his grave his parishioners erected a monument (for a description of which see Esker, Co. Dublin).

Malahide.

[From Mr. James R. Fowler.]

‘On a flat stone inside the “Abbey”’:—

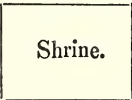
“Sub hoc marmore Sepulchro
reliquiae Caroli Henly M.D.
qui in academia Lovaniensis
post 5 annorum studia
dissertatione inaugurato
de injuriis a calore corpore humano illatis
publico et solenne examine
sunma cum laude primo Submissa
gradum Medicinae Doctoris adeptus est
inde in patria rediens
Subito inter venientem pulmonum mortu
die 4 Januarii A.D. 1828 aetatis 25 correptus est
Eheu Eheu
optime et carissime Carole
fratrum et sororum lacrimis
virtutes tuae commemorantur.”

Mulhuddart.

[From Mr. James R. Fowler.]

LADY WELL.

‘Over the entrance to this is a large block of sandstone, with a broad arrow on top; a recess is sunk in the front, which forms the back of a small shrine, containing a statuette and some vases. On the left side of the block of sandstone is this inscription’ :—

(No. 1.)	On the right another, (No. 2.)	
o Blessed Mother and Ever Virgin Gl orious Queen of the World Make Inte rcession For us to our [Lord ?] Amen	(Over the Shrine.)	
	✠  ✠	
	I H S Holy Mary Pray	
	 Shrine.	
	for us ✠ ✠	
	Vouch Safe that I May Praise Thee O Sacred Virgin Obt ain for me Force Aga inst Thy Enemies	

St. Anne's Parish Church.

[From a Note-book in my possession, in the hand-writing of the late Rev. Beaver H. Blacker.—P. D. V.]

(Continued from vol. ii., page 97.)

‘XLIX. Outside of church, south wall’ :—

“Here lieth the body of the Reverend JOHN COPPING, late Dean of Clogher. He was born in Norwich, in the County of Norfolk, and departed this life in the City of Dublin, the 6th day of April, 1743, aged 52 years.”

‘L. Outside of church, south wall’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of JAMES STOPFORD, Bishop of Cloyne, who departed this life 24th August, 1759, aged 63; and to the memory of his relict, Mrs. ANNE STOPFORD, who departed this life 5th May, 1784, aged 84.”

‘LI. Outside of church, south wall’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of Mrs. ANNE WELD HARTSTONGE, wife of EDMOND WELD HARTSTONGE of this city, who with unequall^d constancy and fond affection fulfilled the relations of daughter, wife, mother, friend. Obiit Die 14 Jani. A.D. 1803, et Anno Aetatis 60.

‘Farewell, my Children.’ Such her voice in death,
And while she bless^d them, closed her latest breath!
Adieu, bless^d spirit, oh a long farewell!
On thy lov^d memory ever will we dwell:
Our inmost thoughts reflect on worth like thine,
While tears sincere bedew a parent’s shrine.”

‘LII. Outside of church, south wall’ :—

“Within the same tomb below rest the honoured remains of EDMOND WELD, Esq., late EDMOND WELD HARTSTONGE, husband to ANNE WELD HARTSTONGE, recorded in the adjoining tablet. No man was more respected in life, or deplored than he was in death. Pious in all his ways, and honest in all his deeds, he closed a long and honorable life on the third day of September, 1817, in his 76th year, lamented and beloved.”

‘LIII. Outside of church, south wall’ :—

“Within this vault are deposited the remains of The Rev. MICHAEL KEARNEY, D.D., for many years Fellow of Trinity College, Dublin, who departed this life the 11th of January, 1814, aged 80. Also those of FRANCES, his widow, who died the 25th March, 1820, aged 80.”

‘LIV. Outside of church, south wall’ :—

“Erected to the memory of Mrs. CHARITY BLAKE, otherwise ANNESLEY, late of Lehinch, in the County of Mayo, whose body is deposited in the vault underneath. She died on the 13th of March, 1774.”

‘LV. Outside of church, south wall’ :—

“In the vault beneath this stone lie the remains of Lieut. JOHN AMPHLETT, late of the Rifle Brigade (who died on the 10th day of Augst., 1816, in the 23rd year of his age), son of the Rev. Dr. AMPHLETT, of Doddershill, in the County of Worcester, in England. This stone has been placed by his brother officers as a memorial of their regard.”

‘LVI. Outside vestry, north wall’ :—

“This stone was erected to the memory of Mr. SAMUEL MORGAN, late Officer of Commons to the Right Honorable the City of Dublin, who departed this life the 23rd day of May, Anno Domini 1766.”

‘LVII. Graveyard, north-west corner’ :—

“This stone was erected by ISABELLA MARSHALL in memory of her beloved husband, JOHN MARSHALL, Esqr., who departed this life on the 22nd of January, 1825, aged 39 years. Here also lies the abovenamed ISABELLA MARSHALL, otherwise MEDLICOTT, who died 18th Decr., 1829, aged 44 years. Also MARGARET, daughter of ROBT. DAY, Esqr., Barrister at Law, and of CHRISTINA, his wife, and niece to the abovenamed JOHN MARSHALL. She died on the 26th July, 1836, aged 25 years.”

‘LVIII. Same place’ :—

“Here lieth the remains of Madame HELENE DE BROUS, daughter of the late MATHEW LYSTER, of New Park, Co. Roscommon, Esq. dead in the prime of her age after an unhappy lying-in the 6th of Sepr. 1822, her infant lies here also by her side. She left after her true friends who will come some times to weep over her grave.”

‘LIX. Same place’ :—

“To the memory of HENRY HATTON, Esqr., of Newbay, Co. Wexford, aged 24 years, who died in this city September 27th, 1823.”

‘LX. Same place’ :—

“Here lies the remains of Mrs. ELIZABETH PLATT, who departed this life June the 6th, 1820, in the 64th year of her age.”

‘LXI. Same place.—Broken red sandstone, top mutilated’ :—

“ANE HUGHES, late of [Park ?] St. East, in this city, who departed this life on ye 8th day of July, 1798, in the 58th year of her age. Also the remains of Mrs. MARGARET ROBERTSON, sister of said Mrs. HUGHES.” [Broken in two here.]

‘LXII. Same place.—Broken in two—within a railed enclosure, with the following inscription’ :—

“ Here is buried Mrs. ALICE LLOYD, wife of JOHN LLOYD, of Merrion Square, Esq. She died on the 17th of April, 1815, retaining to the last moment that spirit of mildness, benevolence, and patient resignation, which marked her character thro’ life. Here also is buried her worthy Aunt, Mrs. MARGARET ELLORD, who died in April, 1812. Redeem their kindred souls, O Lord, from the power of the grave, and lift them up for ever and ever. Also Mrs. ANN ELLORD, who died the 9th of Febry., 1816, aged 83. Also Mrs. ALICE ROE, mother of Mrs. ALICE LLOYD, and widow of THOMAS ROE, late of Roesboro, in the County of Tipperary, Esqre., who died on the 5th day of October, 1817, in the 80th year of her age. Also the abovenamed JOHN LLOYD, Esq. Judge of the Court for the relief of Insolvent Debtors (*sic*), who died on the 16th May, 1835, aged 76 years.”

‘LXIII. Same place, and within the same enclosure. The bottom broken in three’ :—

“ Sacred to the memory of WILLIAM HARTIGAN, M.D., Professor of Anatomy T.C.D., who died on the 13th day of December, 1812, in the 57th year of his age.”

‘LXIV. Same place’ :—

“ Here lieth the body of JOHN ARMSTRONG, late of Scarvey, County Monaghan, who departed this life 5th July, 1812, in the 44th year of his age, deeply and deservedly regretted by all who knew him. This tomb is dedicated to his memory by his sorrowful widow, ANNE ARMSTRONG. Beneath this stone are also laid the remains of her father and mother, PHILIP and SARAH CRAVEN, whose lives were adorned by many Christian virtues. That they may meet again in a happier world, is the pious hope of an affectionate wife and daughter.”

‘LXV. Same place’ :—

“ BLADEN SWINEX, Esqr., died the 10th of Decr., 1833, aged 75 years.”

‘LXVI. Same place’ :—

“ Sacred to the memory of ROBERT ROSS HARTIGAN, who departed this life on the 19th day of May, 1799, in the 7th year of his age.”

‘LXVII. Same place’ :—

“ Sacred to the memory of JAMES FORD, Esq., who departed this life September the fourth, 1789, aged Eighty three, whose virtues were an ornament to human nature, and whose piety gave him humble hope of a joyful resurrection; and to the memory of his wife, Mrs. JUDITH FORD, who departed this life Sepr. 8th, 1791, aged 73 years. And also to the memory of their daughter, Mrs JUDITH SMYTH, who departed this life on the sixteenth day of May, 1800.”

‘LXVIII. Same place’ :—

“ This ground belongeth to JAMES SAUNDERS, of No. 12 South Fredrick (*sic*) Street. Here lieth the remains of his eldest son, ROBERT, who departed this life the 29th day of January 1817, aged 28 years. Here lieth the remains of the above JAMES SAUNDERS, who departed this life the 29th day of August, 1821, aged 62 years. Here also lieth the remains of Mrs. SARAH SAUNDERS, wife of the above named JAMES SAUNDERS, who departed this life the 27th day of June, 1832, aged 76 years. Here lie the remains of Mrs. SARAH JACKSON, of No. 12, Sth. Fredk. St., who died the 17th Janry., 1833, aged 41 yrs. Also the remains of Mr. JOHN JACKSON, husband of the above, who died the 28th Sepr., 1846, aged 66 yrs. And that of ELIAS GEORGE JACKSON, sixth child and third son of the abovenamed JOHN and SARAH. Born Jany, 1822. Died Novr. 1854. Aged 33 years.”

‘LXIX. Same place’ :—

“ Here lieth the remains of THOMAS HARPER, son of Mr. EPHRAIM HARPER, of Dawson St., who departed this life the 3rd of November, 1815, aged two years. Here also are interred the remains of JAMES, his infant son. Also the mortal remains of the abovenamed Mr. EPHRAIM HARPER, who departed this life the 1st of April, 1832, aged 49 years.”

‘LXX. Same place’ :—

“ The Reverend THOMAS LELAND, D.D., late vicar of this parish. Died August 22nd, 1785.”

‘LXXI. Same place’ :—

“ Here lieth the body of MICHAEL COX, who died the 21st June, 1775, aged six years. Here lieth the body of Lady

ELIZABETH COX, relict of the Revd. Sir MICHAEL COX, Bart., of Dunmanway, Co. of Cork, who departed this life, beloved and regretted, on the 12th of March, 1825, aged 98 years. Also of ELIZABETH C. ANNESLEY, daughter of the Honble. F. C. ANNESLEY, who died August 5th, 1828, aged 12 years. Also the Honble. FRANCIS CHARLES ANNESLEY, who died August 6th 1832, aged 56 years. Also FRANCES M. ANNESLEY, who died Sept. 10th, 1847, aged 15 years. Also MARY ANNESLEY, wife of the Honble. F. C. ANNESLEY, who died December 9th, 1854, aged 62 years."

'LXXII. Same place':—

"Here lieth the body of LETETIA [*sic*] KNOX, wife of WILLIAM KNOX, Esqr, of Soho Square, London. Also the body of the Revd. THOMAS SMYTH, D.D., who departed this life March 9th, Anno Domini 1821, aged 77 years."

'LXXIII. Same place, on four pillars':—

"Here lie the remains of Lieut.-Colonel ROBERT TURTON, late of the Honble. East India Company's Service, who departed this life Novr. 23rd, 1817, aged 52 years. Here are also deposited the remains of his father and mother, FRANCIS and ELIZABETH TURTON. Also of his sister, FRANCES ANNE, wife of the Revd. GEORGE WILLIAM COTTON, who departed this life February 13th, 1820, aged 45 years. Here are deposited the remains of the Revd. G. W. COTTON, Curate of this parish for 34 years, who departed this life 26th July, 1837, aged 64. Here also are deposited the remains of his son, FRANCIS R. COTTON, Esqr., who departed this life on the 30th of August, 1851, aged 57 years."

'LXXIV. Same place':—

"Sacred to the memory of JOHN FERRAR, who died 3rd May, 1804, aged 61. Also his three grandchildren, JOHN FERRAR, aged 8, EDWARD MINCHIN and MARY MINCHIN, Infants."

'LXXV. Same place':—

"Here lie the bodies of the Revd. SAMUEL HALES, D.D., late Prebendary of Kilbrittain, in the diocese of Cork, who departed this life Nov. 12th, 1781, in the 72nd year of his age. The Revd. JOHN FORSAYETH, D.D., late Archbishop of Cork, and formerly Senior Fellow of Trinity College, Dublin, who died April 17, 1785, aged 49 years. Mrs. HELEN HALES, widow of the Revd. Doctor HALES, who died March the 3rd, 1787, aged 61 years."

‘LXXVI. Same place, on an elevated table’ :—

“Here lieth the body of ELIZA BOWEN, otherwise MILLAR, wife of CHRISTR. BOWEN, of Milford, in the Co. of Mayo, Esq., who departed this life on the 23rd of January, 1815, in the 45th year of her age.”

‘LXXVII. Same place, on an elevated structure, and within railings :—

“To the memory of DOMINICK BURKE, of Dawson-street, Esqr., who departed this life on the 5th day of October, 1785, aged 57. He was eminently distinguished for his punctual and zealous performance of religious duties, for his tender affection to his wife and family, for his disinterested friendship and hospitality, for his bountifull encouragement of Manufactures and Industry, and for his most liberal and extensive charities to the poor in general, and more especially to those of the Town of Galway and of this city, who have lost in him their friend, their protector, and their munificent benefactor. In this tomb are also deposited the remains of Mrs. MARGARET BURKE, relict of the above DOMINICK BURKE, Esq., daughter and co-heiress of EDWD. FYFE [? FYTE], of Galway, Esqr. She departed this life after a most painful and lingering illness, which she endured with Christian fortitude, on the 14th of May, 1787, aged 84. She was a tender and affectionate wife, a humane and indulgent mistress, remarkable for hospitality, and the sincerity of her friendship, constant, regular, and devout in the performance of all religious duties, highly distinguished for truly Christian humility, for a most compassionate and charitable temper, and for bounty to the poor almost beyond example. T. Taylor fecit.”

‘On a slab at end of table’ :—

“Here also lie the remains of Mrs. REBECCA COCHLAN, who died Feby. 25th, 1805, aged 75 years. The Revd. WILLIAM CREERY, died 16th January, 1808, aged 51 years. And ELIZABETH, his second wife, died 22nd May, 1856, aged 82 years.”

‘LXXVIII. Same place’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of WILLIAM GARDE, of Stephen’s Green, in the city of Dublin, Esquire, who died the 2nd of November, 1836, aged 67 years. Also to the memory of CATHERINE LOUISA GARDE, his youngest daughter, who died the 5th of February following, aged 18 years.”

‘LXXIX. Same place, elevated, and in railed enclosure’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of SUSAN MACNAMARA, wife of WM. NUGENT MACNAMARA, of Doolen, in the County of Clare, Esqre., and daughter of the late MATHIAS FINUCANE, one of his Majesty’s Justices of the Court of Common Pleas. Died 14th February, 1816, aged 39 years. And to her daughter HONORIA, wife of EDMOND JOHN ARMSTRONG, Esq., of Willow Bank, in the County of Clare. She departed this life the 18th April, 1838, aged 29 years.”

‘LXXX. On stone inserted *per se* into new School House wall, in church-yard’ :—

“Heu! quanto minus est
Cum aliis versari
Quam tui meminisse.”

‘LXXXI. Top step of approach from vestry to new school-house’ :—

(See *Journal* for 1893, page 296, for this inscription.)

‘LXXXII. Bottom step of approach from vestry to new school-house’ :—

“ [Here] lieth the mortal remain[s of] wife
of WM. RYA [N] [Priv ?] Dragoon ”

‘LXXXIII. North side of yard. This and the following two slabs are in a railed enclosure’ :—

“To the memory of LOUISA, wife of JOHN REA, Esq., of Chatham Lodge, in the County of Derry, and daughter of the Revd. STEWART BLACKER, of Carrick, in the County of Armagh. She died on the 11th day of May, 1815, aged 22 years.”

‘LXXXIV. Same place’ :—

“Here are deposited the mortal remains of SAMUEL M’ALPINE KYLE, son of WILLIAM COTTER KYLE, Esqre., and of LOUISA MARIANNE (daughter of Mr. and Mrs. REA). He died April 28th, 1839. ‘I shall go to him, but he cannot return to me.’—ii. Sam. xii. ch.’ Underneath are deposited the remains of LOUISA MARIANNE KYLE, wife of WILLIAM COTTER KYLE, Esqr., daughter of JOHN and LOUISA REA, of St. Columb’s, Londonderry. She died Octr. 28th, 1850, aged 35. May we die the death of the righteous! May our last end be like hers!”

‘LXXXV. Same place’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of LOUISA MARIANNE KYLE, wife of WILLIAM COTTER KYLE, Esqr., daughter of JOHN and LOUISA REA, St. Columb’s, Londonderry. She departed this life, after a very protracted illness, Octr. 28, 1850, aged 35 years. ‘My flesh and my heart faileth, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion for ever,’ were her last words.”

‘LXXXVI. North side of graveyard’ :—

“Their angels do always behold the face of my Father.

I.H.S.

Beneath this stone are deposited the bodies of JEMIMA ALLMAN, who died April 1st, 1819, aged 18 months; of ANNE JESSY, who died Aug. 12th, 1821, aged 5 weeks; and of THOMAS, who died Dec. 4th, 1823, aged 12 months; three children of WILLIAM ALLMAN, M.D. Also the body of their mother, ANNE REBECCA ALLMAN, otherwise EDWARDS, who departed this life 24th April, 1831, aged 47 years. This monument also records the death of their dear child, AUGUSTA MARY BARBARA ALLMAN, who fell asleep 4th April, 1845, aged 17 years, her remains being deposited in St. Mark’s Burial ground, Bath. Underneath likewise is laid the body of WILLIAM ALLMAN, M.D., who died the 8th of December, 1846, aged 70 years.”

‘LXXXVII. Same place’ :—

“This stone was erected by JOHN COLLIN, of Merrion Square. Here lieth the remains of FRANCIS ROBERT COLLIN, who departed this life the 6th day of November, 1817, aged 11 months. Here also lieth the remains of ISABELLA COLLIN, who departed this life the 4th day of July, 1819, aged 9 years.”

‘LXXXVIII. Same place’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of three friends, Mrs. MARTHA SKEFFINGTON, who departed this life the 8th March, 1788, KATHERINE SKEFFINGTON, the 16th June, 1796, and SARAH HUEY, the 18th May, 1797. Also the remains of Mrs. ANNE CARTER, formerly of the County Kent, who departed this life the 5th of Decr., 1833, aged 78 years. Mrs. JANE THOMPSON, daughter of the above SARAH HUEY, who departed this life 24th January, 1839, aged 79 years. JANE M’NEILL THOMPSON, who departed this life 13th of March, 1841, aged 54 years. Mrs. SARAH THORNTON ADAIR, departed this life July 10th, 1852, in the 63rd year of her age.”

‘LXXXIX. Same place’ :—

“JOHN BARCLAY ALLOWAY, of this City, Merchant, died the 6th of December, 1830, in his 76th year. CATHERINE, wife of the above J. B. ALLOWAY, died the 24th of Oct. 1830, in her 72nd year. ELIZABETH EVANS, sister of the above mentioned CATHERINE, died the 21st of June, 1837, in her 65th year.”

‘XC. Same place’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of KATHEREN HAUTENVILLE, who departed this life the 20th February, 1798, aged 8 years. Also the remains of RAWDON HAUTENVILLE, Esquire, father of the above-named CATHERINE HAUTENVILLE, who died the 9th day of December, 1815, aged 73 years. Also his wife, ABIGAIL HAUTENVILLE, who departed this life the 18th day of November, 1820, aged 73 years.”

‘XCI. North-east corner of graveyard, on four pillars’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of WILLIAM GODARD, Esq., of Holyhead, who departed this life in December, 1799, aged 53 years, and whose remains are interred beneath. Also the remains of ANNE, wife of NORRIS M. GODARD, son of the above named WILLIAM, who died on 22nd June, 1837, in the 60th year of her age.”

‘XCII. Same place’ :—



I. H. S.

“Here lies the remain of ANTONY JOSEPH HOGUET, who departed this life the 21 Sept., 1811, aged 67 years. This stone was erected by his son, JOSEPH HOGUET, and ANNE THEVARD FLUERY [*sic*], his sister-in-law. Also ANNE GENEVIEVE PONTET, died March 26th, 1812, aged 64 years. Also JULIA HOGUET, died Nov. 22nd, 1816, aged 7 years: and LOUISA HOGUET, died June 5th, 1823, aged 15 years.”

‘XCIII. Same place’ :—

“Here lieth the body of Mr. HENRY COOKE, late of this city, who departed this life Sept. 9th, 1809, aged 76. And also the body of Mrs. JANE COOKE, his widow, who died 19th April, 1812, aged 75. And also the body of Mrs. MARY FARLEY, widow, who died 21st March, 1815, aged 88.”

‘XCIV. East end of graveyard’ :—

“Here lieth the body of THOS. ARMSTRONG, who died the 5th Janry., 1812, aged 52 years. Also AMELIA, his daughter, who died the 27th Sept., 1827, aged 18 years. ‘Seed sown by God to ripen for the harvest.’”

‘XCV. Same place’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of Mrs. RACHEL RAWLINS, who departed this life the 27th of March, 1832, aged 75 years.”

‘XCVI. Same place’ :—

“This stone and burial place belongeth to Mr. EDWARD GARRATT, of Frederick-street, who departed this life the 16th day of November, 1788, aged 60 years. Here lieth the remains of EDWARD GARRETT [*sic*] FITZPATRICK, South Anne-street, and nephew to the above, who departed this life Sept. 22nd, 1822, aged 41 years.”

‘XCVII. Same place’ :—

“Here lieth the remains of WILLIAM MOORE, of Grafton-street, Esqre., who departed this life the 3rd November, 1828, in the 48th year of his age. And also three of his children; CHARLES WELLINGTON, who died the 5th April, 1814, aged 8 months; JOHN, who died the 12th August, 1815, aged 9 months; JANE, who died the 9th February, 1826, aged 16 years. This stone was erected by his affectionate widow, ANNE MOORE, to perpetuate his memory and that of their three children. ‘Now, Lord, what is my hope; Truly my hope is even in thee.’”

‘XCVIII. Same place’ :—

“In memory of THOMAS MONK, eldest son of WM. D. STANLEY & ELIZA. PENELOPE MONK, who departed this life Jan. 24, 1819, in the 22nd year of his age. This stone is erected by his parents consoled in Christ Jesus. ‘The Lord gave, & the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord. Depart in peace, thou blessed of the Lord.’”

XCIX. Same place, on table’ :—

“To the memory of CHARLES PATRICK MOORE, of Roebuck, Esqre., Born the 26th of May, 1776. Died the 5th of Sept., 1818, aged 42 years. This monument was erected by his affectionate widow, Mrs. MARY MOORE. Here also is interred the remains of THOMAS MOORE, Esqre., of Nassau-street, who died the 2nd day of Decr., 1854, aged 66 years.”

‘C. Same place’ :—

“Here are deposited the remains of JANE, second daughter of RICHARD MILLIKEN, of Grafton-street, who died February 10th, 1810, aged 2 years; of JOHN MILLIKEN, his father, who departed April 21st, 1812, aged 70 years; MARGARET, ninth daughter of RICHARD MILLIKEN, who died June 30th, 18[broken], aged 13 years; MARIA, sixth daughter of the same, who died March 31st, 1830, aged 17 years; JANE MILLIKEN, died February 22nd, 1834, aged 71 years; RICHARD MILLIKEN, her son, died on the 6th of December, 1834, in his 51st year: JOHN MILLIKEN, died 24th October, 1838, aged 18 years; ANDREW MILLIKEN, died 3rd February, 1851, aged 43 years.”

(To be continued.)

St. Michan's Parish:

[Kindly contributed by Mrs. Long.]

“Here lieth the body of Mrs. FRANCES FRENCH the wife of the Honourable ROBERT FRENCH one of the judges of his Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, Ireland. She died on the 1st of October 1749 aged 53 years.

Here lieth the body of ROBERT FRENCH. He died the 29th day of May 1772 aged 82 years.

Here also lieth the body of the reverend WILLIAM FRENCH of Ardagh, Brother of the said ROBERT FRENCH.”

“This stone was erected by JAMES VANCE of Paradise Row in the City of Dublin Esq. to the memory of his Father and Mother, and several Brothers and Sisters and other relations who were interred in this spot over which it is placed many years ago.”

“Sacred to the memory of TIMOTHY O'CONNOR of James Street, who died February 1808, aged 70 years. to his wife Mrs. MARY O'CONNOR, who died 24th of October 1806, aged 67 years. to their son Mr. RODERICK O'CONNOR, who died 30th of Sept, 1806, aged 29 years. And their daughter Mrs. CATHERINE MACMANUS, who died 22nd of January 1846, aged 77 years.”

“Here lieth the remains of JEMIMA HARDING wife of JONATHAN HARDING, Queen St. Esq. who departed this life 20th June 1834, after a few hours' illness, aged 50 years. Also the above JONATHAN HARDING, who departed this life 24th of Oct. 1841, aged 61 years.”

“Here lieth the body of JOHN ARMSTRONG, Esqre, late of the island of Grenada, who departed this life at his house Mountjoy Square, the 21st of October, 1829, aged 45 years.”

“Pray for the soul of PHINEAS HILLEAS, Merchant of the City of Dublin, who departed this life on the 10th day of March in his 16th (*sic*) year.”

“This stone & burial place belongeth to Mr. JOHN CORNER, who departed this life the 27th day of April 1745, aged 65 years.”

Tallaght Parish.

[From Mr. James R. Fowler, 1896.]

(Skull and cross-bones.)

“HERE LIETH YE BODY OF IOHN MURPHY WHO DIED APRIL YE 26TH 1678 IN YE 66TH YEAR OF HIS AGE AND THOMAS MURPHY HIS SON WHO DIED YE 26TH OF FEBRY 1728 IN Y 78 YEAR OF HIS AGE.”

“HERE LYETH THE BODY OF THE HON COLL IOHN TOLBOT OF BELGARD WHO DIED YE 10 OF SEP 1667 IN YE 63 YEAR OF HIS AGE.”

‘Over the inscription are the Arms of Talbot, and the motto—“READY TO ACCOMPLISH” (Prest d’accomplir).’



“HERE LYETH YE BODY OF MORGAN KERIN HIS WIFE & THEIR SON PATRICK KERIN OF BALLMANAGH WHO DIED MARCH YE 9TH 172 $\frac{3}{4}$ IN YE 72 YEAR OF HIS AGE.”

“This Stone and Burial Place Belongeth to Mr IOHN BOTTOM and his posterity 1755. Here Lyeth his Father RICH^D Aged 94 years also his Mother ELIZTH Aged 104 years.”

[Harrolds Cross Stone.]

"HERE LYETH THE BODY OF MR^s MARY LYNEALL WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE THE 19 DAY OF NOVEMBER 1682 AND MR THOMAS LYNEALL HER HUSBAND WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE THE 19 DAY OF IVLY 1692 AND BENIAMIN LYNEALL THE SON OF THOMAS AND MARY LYNEALL WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE THE 4 DAY OF MARCH 1707."

"HERE LYETH THE BODY OF IOHN SMITH OF KNOCKLIN WHO DIED THE 18 OF FEBRUARY 170⁹₁₀."

"HEAR LIETH YE BODY OF IOHN MVRPHY WHO DIED APRIL YE 26TH 1675 & IN YE 66TH YEAR OF HIS AGE AND THOMAS MURPHY HIS SON WHO DIED YE 26TH OF FEBRY 1728 IN YE 78TH YEAR OF HIS AGE."

"HERE LYETH Y^E BODY OF MR ARTHUR EMERSON SON TO MR IOHN & MR^s MARGARET EMERSON OF KILTALOWN WHO DEPARTED THIS LIF^E YE 3^D OF MAY 1735 IN Y^E 48TH YEAR OF HIS AGE."

"HERE LYETH THE BODY OF MR ROBERT EMERSON SON OF JOHN AND MARGARET EMERSON WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE THE 26TH DAY OF APRIL 1729 AGED 28 YEARS."

"HERE VNDER LYETH THE BODY OF NICHOLAS REAILY WHO DESEASED THE 10 OF DECEMBER 1672 AGED 52 HIS SON BARNABY REAILY OF SAGGARD IN THE COVNTY OF DVBLIN CAUSED THIS TOMBE STONE TO BE PLACED HERE FOR THEM AND THEIR POSTERITY AND 1677."

"HERE LYETH THE BODY OF . . . EL BROWN
OF . . . TOWN WHO DESEASED THE . . DAY OF
FEBY 1700 W. AND M. KNOCKLIN
AND"

Tully Churchyard, near Carrickmines.

[From Mrs. Long, Dublin.]

(At the top, I. H. S. and two hour-glasses.)

"This burial place belonged to the WALSHES of Carrickmines, of the County of Dublin. Here lyeth the body of WILL^m WALSH who departed this life the 20th of June 1755 aged 50. Here also lyeth the body of JANE WALSH his daughter, who departed this life the 1st Nov. 1755, aged 25 years."

COUNTY F E R M A N A G H.

Inismacsaint Parish.

DERRYGONNELLY OLD CHURCH.

[From notes kindly contributed by the Earl Belmore, K.C.M.G.]

The stone represented in the annexed drawing is supposed to commemorate the date of the erection of this church, which was a Chapel of Ease of Inismacsaint parish. It is believed to have been erected by Sir John Dunbar, for the convenience of himself and his dependants, as the site of his dwelling-house was in an adjoining field. [See also vol. iii., p. 249, Dunbar Arms from Ballyshannon, Co. Donegal.]

We have to thank the Rev. Canon Geo. Tottenham for the photograph from which this plate has been made.

The motto underneath the shield reads :—

"TRIUNI DEO GLORIA QUI LIBERAT NOS A MALO."

With reference to the above coat-of-arms, Sir Arthur Vicars writes :—

'It is impossible for me to give the blazon of what is cut on the stone, it is so egregiously wrong. The following is what it should have been :—

'Quarterly 1st and 4th gu. a lion rampant within a bordure, arg. [for Dunbar], 2nd and 3rd or, three cushions within a double tressure flory



STONE IN WEST WALL OF DERRYGONNELLY OLD CHURCH,
COUNTY FERMANAGH, 1867.

ARMS OF SIR JOHN DUNBAR AND HIS WIFE DAME KATHERINE
DUNBAR [*nee* GREAMES or GRAHAM].

counter flory gu. [for Randolph] impaling—or, a mullet gu. charged with a crescent arg. on a chief sable three escallops of the field.

‘In the funeral entry of Sir Richard Graham, the above arms are given in trick.’

‘Funeral Entries, vol. 17, p. 142’ :—

[From Office of Arms, Dublin.]

“**Sr. RICHARD GREAMES** als. **GRAHAM** Knt. Died the 7th of Novembr. 1626. He married **ELIZABETH** Daur. of **CHRISTOPR. HETHERINGTON** of Dunecarney in the County of Dublin by whom he had issue **THOMAS, WILLIAM, PETER, GEORGE, RICHARD, JANE, KATHERIN** [DUNBAR], **ELIZABETH, MARGARETT, and ANN.**”

‘The two Coats on the dexter side in the drawing are meant to represent the Arms of Sir John Dunbar and those of Randolph, and what looks like two quarterings on the sinister side is really only one Coat, that of Graham. Lady Katherine Dunbar was a daughter of Sir Richard Greames or Graham, of Lynamstown, Queen’s County.’

‘The annexed inscriptions **A** and **B** are on stones in the body of the Church, towards the east end. That marked **A** is to **RICHARD DUNBAR**, Sir John’s grandson and successor (the latter’s eldest son **JAMES** having died s.p.), and of **RICHARD**’s son-in-law, **HUGH MONTGOMERY**.

‘**B** is to Mr. Montgomery’s great grandfather, **HUGH MONTGOMERY**, who died at Windsor in 1797. [For further particulars see the 3rd and 4th numbers of the *Ulster Journal of Archæology*.]’

‘**A**’ :—

“**VIRTVS MOVET REX FOVET.**”

“**HERE LIE THE BODIES OF RICHARD
DVNBAR AND HUGH MONTGOMERY
ESQ. RICH^d DIED JAN. 6TH 1666.
HUGH DIED SEPT. 26. 1722 AGED 71.**”

(Death’s head and crossed bones at foot.)

‘**B**’ :—

“Here lieth the body of **HUGH MONTGOMERY** who departed this life July 20th 1797 aged 58 years.”

Lord Belmore thinks that this Hugh was great grandson of Richard Dunbar, whose only child Katherine [by Anna Catherine Lady Hamilton] married Hugh Montgomery. Their second son Hugh Willoughby married Elizabeth Armar, and their son Hugh married Katherine Montgomery, his cousin.

COUNTY GALWAY.

[From Mr. T. J. Westropp.]

Clare-Galway Friary.

‘This Franciscan Friary stands on the bank of a little stream among prettily planted fields near the old square castle. It was founded by John de Cogan in 1290. The side walls of the chancel and the south walls of the nave belong to the original building. A graceful tower and arcade were subsequently added; the domestic buildings are of much later date.

‘The monument here represented is set in an older tomb, whose graceful clustered pillars and Gothic canopy are in excellent preservation. There is no trace of an effigy among the fragments strewn about the ruins. The slab displays the De Burgo Arms and Crest, with rich mantling. *Crest*—A chained cat. *Arms*—A cross, a lion rampant in 1st quarter.’

“HOC · LOCUM · SIBI · ELEGIT · DO : THO :
DE · BVRGO · DE · ANBALLY · FILIUS ·
RIKARD · DE · DEREMAGLAGHNI · AN : DNI : 1648.”

‘The Abbey ruins have been described in the *Journal of the Royal Society of Antiquaries*, 1895, p. 287.”

St. Nicholas's Church, Galway.

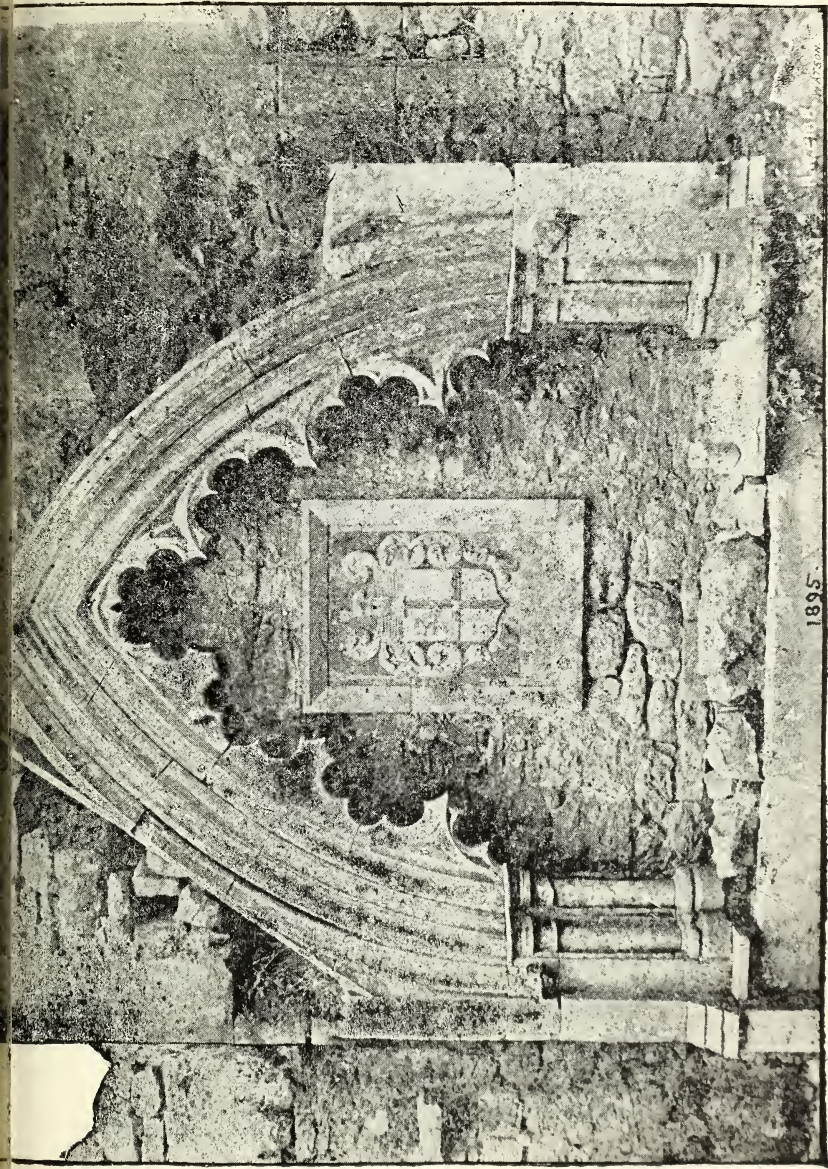
[From Lord Walter FitzGerald, V.P. R.S.A.I.]

‘All the following inscriptions are copied from tombslabs inside St. Nicholas's Church, and are all (except one) in raised letters; all that are visible there are given here, though it is possible a few more may be hidden under the matting on which some of the pews stand. This does not include the slabs with *incised* inscriptions, which I hope to copy at a future date.

‘The following are at the west end’ :—

“HERE · LYETH · THE · BODY · OF · IOHN
TAYLOR · WHO · DYED · THE 6TH DAY · OF ·
AVGVST IN · THE · YEAR · 1732 AND · HIS ·
POSTERITY.”

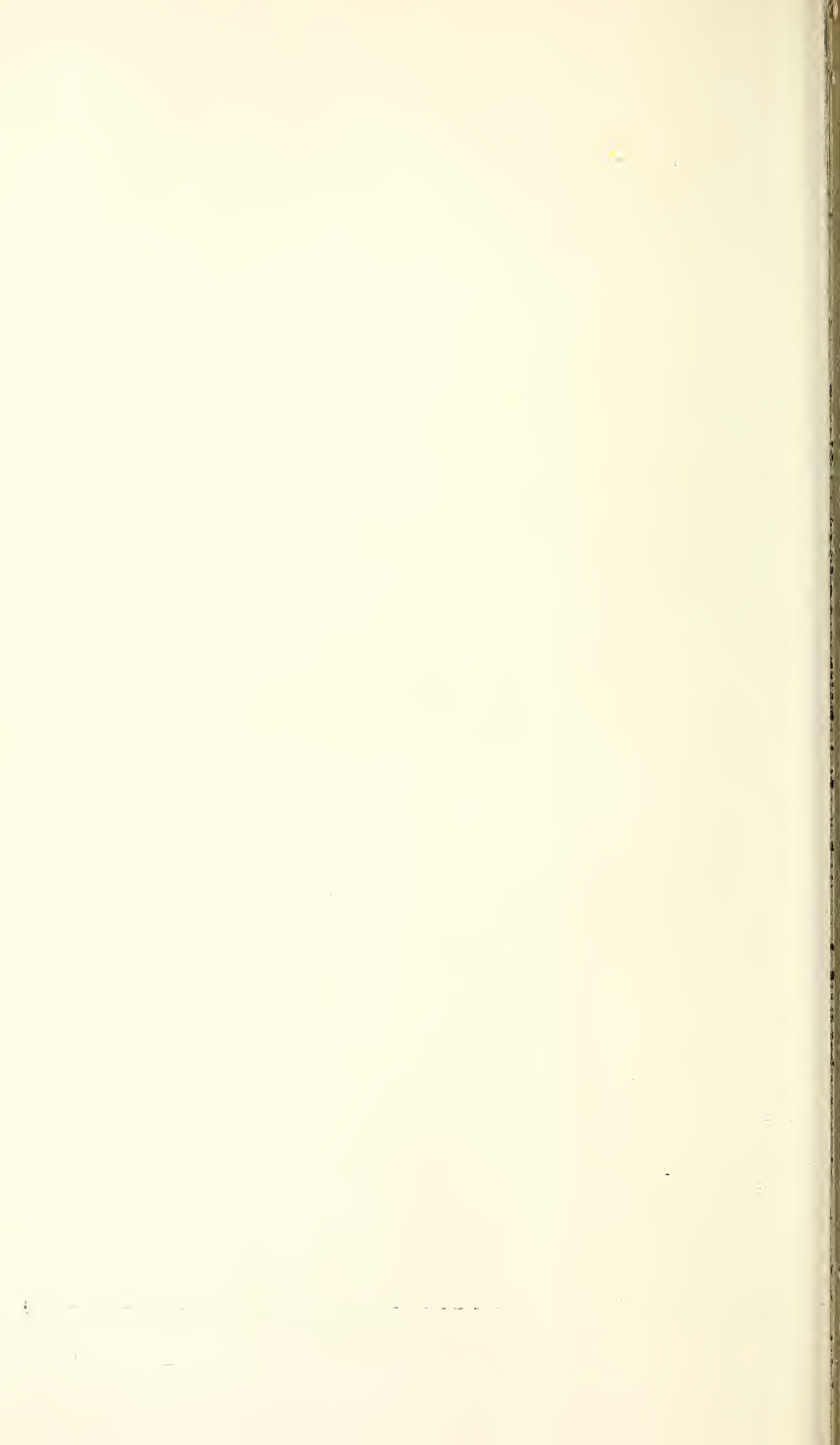
“HERE · LYETH · THE · BODY OF · ALDERMAN
FRAN^S · WHEELER WHO · PARTED · THIS
LIFE · Y^E · 4TH OF · 8BER · 1738 & IN · THE
79TH · YEARE OF · HIS · AGE ·”



1895.

IN CLARE-GALWAY ABBEY, COUNTY GALWAY.

From a Photograph by Mr. E. Welch, of Belfast, 1896.



“HERE · LYETH · THE · BODY · OF · HOWELL ·
PRICE · BVRGES · AND · COVNCELMAN · OF ·
THE · TOWN · OF · GALWAY · WHO · DEPARTETH
(*sic*) · THIS · LIFE · THE · FIRST · DAY OF ·
IAN^R (*sic*) · 1734.”

“HERE · LYETH · THE · BODY · OF · DANIELL ·
HOLLYDAY · WHO DYED · THE · TENTH ·
DAY · OF · IVN^E · 1715.”

Y

“HERE · LYETH · THE · BOD · OF · HENRY
WALTERS WHO · DYED · Y^E · 12TH OF ·
MAY 1709 · HIS · WIFE · CATHRIN ·
WALTERS · AND THEIR · POSTERITIS.”

‘A mural slab’ :—

“HERE · LIETH · THE · BODY · OF · IOHN · SHAW ·
SOMTIME A · VICAR · OF · THIS · CHVRCH · WHO ·
DIED · IVLY · 19 · 1675.”

‘A mural tablet’ :—

“HERE · LYETH · THE · BODY · OF · GEORGE ·
TAYLER · WHO · DIED · THE · 28 · DAY OF ·
OCTOBER^R · IN · THE YEAR · OF · OVR · LORD · GOD
1694.”

“HERE · LYETH · THE BODY · OF · IOHN ·
COX · WHO · DEPARTED THIS · LIFE · APRIL ·
THE 1TH (*sic*) · DAY · 1722 · AGED · 105 YEARS.”

‘The next three inscriptions are in the north aisle’ :—

‘A mural slab’ :—

“HERE · LYETH · THE BODY · OF · SVSANNA
TOMEVR · WHO · DYED IN · SEPTEMB^R · 1703
AS · ALSO · THE · BODY OF · ALDERMAN ·
IOHN FEVQVIERE · WHOE DYED · THE ·
25 · DAY OF · DECEMBER · 1717.”

‘Portion of a floor slab’ :—

“⁺ HERE · LIETH · THE · BODY · OF · W.....
R · POSTERITY · WHOES · SOVLES · THE LORD ·
RECEAV · 1641.”

“HERE · LYETH · ^EY · BODY · OF IAMES · VAVGHAN ·
DOCTOR OF · DEVINITY · WARDEN OF · GALWAY ·
^EY · FOVRTH SONN · OF · EDWARD VAVGHAN^N OF
TROWOS COED · ESQVIRE AND · OF · ^EY · COVNTY ·
OF OLD · CALED · ^EY · DEMETRE NOW · CARDIGON ·
SHIRE · & · OF · LETTICE · HIS · MOTHER ^EY
DAVGHTER · OF · IOHN STEDMAN · OF STRATA
FLORADA · IN · ^EY · SAME · COVNTY ESQVIRE · & ·
DIED · ^EY · 28TH DAY · OF · IVNE · ANNO · DOMINI ·
1684.”

‘The next two inscriptions are mural slabs in the north transept, the former is in incised lettering, and the latter in relief’ :—

‘Coat-of-Arms.’

“Here are interr’d the Remains of IOHN O’HARA Esqe who
dyed on the 28th Day of Ianuary 1729 and IOHANNA
O’HARA otherwise Cook his Wife who dyed on the 5th Day
of May 1734 and of several

‘(The remainder of the slab is missing.)’

‘Coat-of-Arms.’

Y

“HERE · LYETH · THE · BOD OF · ALDERMAN ·
D
ROBERT BLAKENEY · WHO · DEPA THIS ·
LIFE · ON · WEDNSDAY THE · 12 · DAY · OF ·
R S
OCTOB 1731 · ANNO · ÆTAT · SVÆ 72.”

‘The following are in the choir, and are both mural slabs with lettering in relief’ :—

‘Coat-of-Arms.’

“HERE • IS • INTERR’D • Y^E • BODY • OF ROBERT
STANNARD • LIEVTENANT • IN • THE
HONOVABLE • COLONELL • ROGER • HANDAS
YDES • REGIMENT • OF • FOOT HE • WAS • THIRD •
SON • OF • ROBERT • STANNARD • OF • THE
COVNTY • OF • CORKE • HE • WAS • BORN • ATT
WEXFORD • & • DYED • HERE OF • A •
MALIGNANT • FEVER • ON • THE • 10 • DAY •
OF • MARCH • IN • THE • YEARE • OF • OVR •
LORD • 1720 • IN • THE • 34 • YEAR OF • HIS •
AGE • HE • SERVED • HIS COVNTY • IN • SPAIN •
FAITHFVLLY • HE • LIVED • SOBERLY • & •
DYED • MVCH • LAMENTED.”

“HERE • LYETH • THE • BODY OF • IOHN • POPE •
WHO • DYED • THE • 5 • OF • MAY • 1666.”

‘In the south transept the next few inscriptions are to be found, either on mural slabs or on slabs in the pavement.’

‘A mural slab in relief’ :—

“HERE • LYETH • THE BODY • OF • IOHN FINGLAS
SLINGESBY • OBIIT • Æ • VI • A·D·M·DC·XC R · I · P·’

‘Over an altar tomb under a window in the east wall of this transept is a mural slab, while on the window-jambs is the Lynch Coat-of-Arms; on the mural slab in raised letters is written’ :—

“† STIRPE • CLARVS AMOR • MILITVM TERROR •
INIMICORVM • ÆTATE • IVVENIS • SENEX • VIRTVTIBVS •
MVNDO • NON • DIGNO EXALTATVR • AD • CÆLVM •
14^o • MARTII • ANO DOMINI • 1644 • STEPHENVS •
LYNCHE.”

‘The next two imperfect inscriptions are copied from portions of slabs built into the walls of the transept’ :—

..... /ILN · ET · MARGAR

 MABVS · WILLIAM
 The interior of this slab is taken up by rich interlacing work, of a basket pattern.
 ETV · NIGVA · NE · V

HIS · WIF · IVA.....
 AN^o
 SHVMARER · AN^o
 RFOR^o
 An inscribed cross, and ornamentation occupies the middle of this slab.
 The letters formed thus ^o in the inscription is a D of the Irish form.
 NLAGHLINGE · WH

“HERE · LYETH · THE · BODYES · OF · RICHARD ·
 BROWNE · AND · HIS · WIFE CATE · BROWNE ·
 THEIR · SONE MATHEW · BROWNE · AND · HIS ·
 WIFE MARY · TERNY · AND · THEIR CHEILDREN ·
 GOD · REST · THEIR SOVLES · AMEN · 1635.”

‘Coat-of-Arms.’

(‘In the south transept, continued’)

‘A floor slab’ :—

“HERE · LYETH · THE · BODY OF · ANTHO ·
 HOLIDAY · WHO · DYED · THE · 12 · OF · IVNE ·
 1777.”

‘A floor slab’ :—

“IOHN · MVRE CATE · IVLI 1647.”

‘A wall slab’ :—

“HIR · LIETH · THE · BOD · OF · ON · MORIERT^{[ag]h} · OTIERNAGH · AND ·
 PERS · AN · NI · 1580.”
 RINA · NI · GONO · · HIS · BROTHER · TEIGE · OG · CU ·
 M. TEIG.
 HIS · WIF · KATE
 KATE

‘Down the centre runs an ornamental cross, and rich foliage.’

‘In the above inscription the latter portion of the wife’s surname is chipped away, but the “NI” at the beginning is a contraction of the Irish “ingen,” meaning “daughter of,” and is the feminine form of the O before an Irish surname. In the brother’s name Teige Og—the Oge means “younger,” the word that follows—“Cupers,” is puzzling, and may be a nickname.’

‘(In the south transept, continued)’

‘A floor slab’ :—

“HERE · LYETH · THE · BODY · OF
 KATHARNE · WARNER · WIFE TO · ROBERT ·
 WARNER · BURGESS · AND · HER · 4 SONNS ·
 ROBERT · THOMAS · JAMES · AND · SPENCER
 WITH · HER · TWO · DAUGHTERS · ALICE ·
 AND · KATE · DYED · THE · 22 · DAY · OF ·
 IVLY 1667.”

HERE · LYETH · THE · BODY · OF ALDERMAN ·
 ROBERT · WARNER HVS · BAND · OF ·
 KATHARINE WARNER · WHO · DYED · THE
 THIRD DAY · OF · FEBRUARY · 1684.
 WILLIAM · WARNER · PARTE^D THIS · LIFE
 FEBRVARY · THE 4 1707."

'Several of the letters in the above inscription are conjoined.'

'Lying flat in the south aisle is a slab with an inscription in low relief running round the edge. The interior is taken up with three circles, in each of which is a Maltese shaped cross; between the two upper circles is an anchor. The inscription is as follows':—

"HIER : LEITH : THE : BOOI : OF : IHON :
 P (?) ORT : FIZ THEIG : NI : ELYN LINCH :
 HIS : WIFE : 1566."

'In a windowed recess at the junction of the south transept with the choir, is a smallish slab bearing an ornamental cross, the edges are bevelled, and on this portion is incised an inscription of a very early date, in French, as follows':—

✠ D BVRE . . GIST DEVS DE SA ALME . . . MERCI.
 ✠ QVI POR SA ALME PRIERAVINT GORS DE
 PARDVN AVERA."

'Perhaps DAVID is the first word and CI the third, and AIT the missing one before Merci.'

"DAVID BURE lies here. May God have mercy on his Soul
 Who (ever) prays for his soul will have twenty days (gors)
 indulgence."

'OBITUARY OF MEELICK ABBEY.'

(Continued from vol. iii., page 286.)

The following notes have been taken from a copy of the "Obituary" kindly lent me by the Rev. Charles Lawrence, of Lisreaghan. They have been revised by the Rev. A. T. O'Reilly, O.S.F., Franciscan Convent, Dublin. The original is deposited in the National Library, Kildare-street.—P. D. V.

"1635 Martius 16. Fr. JOANNES MADDEN Laicus suscepit habitum nostri ordinis."

"18 hac die anno 1778 obiit P. F. ANTONIUS EGAN Ecclæ.
sacramentis miunitis, sepultus est in nostra Sacristia R. I. P."

"(18th) Hac die 1795 obiit Domi^{us} PETRUS CALLANAN R. I. P."

"19 [March] obiit Insignis ac magnæ expectationis Iuvenis
Capitanus HUGO MADDEN filius BRASSALI MADDEN de
Febogg ingenii et morum gratia apud omnes estimatus admirabilis
quoque pollius gravitate ageret suæ ætatis annum 25^o 1648
legavit huic conventui, sepultus est a læva parte altaris summi
R. I. P."

"March 5th 1863. 1st ELIZABETH E. BENNETT, wife of
VALENTINE BENNETT, of Thomastown House, in the King's
County, died at the Shelbourne Hotel, Dublin. She was buried
in the family place of interment in Meelick Church and on
Thursday the 5th day of the same month.

(Signed) William Derry, P.P."

"25th hac die anno 1711 susceperunt chordam B.P. nri
FRANCISCI GENESOSA Dna MARIA KENNEDY alias FLANAGAN,
HERULA ANNA DUNN, et HANILA KETIN."

"26th hac die obiit in Dn^o JON^s KIMENEY sacramentis
ecclesiæ refectus, Sepultus est in nra Ecclesia [et] regione Columnæ
legavit, R. I. P. agen."

"1673, 29 Dn^s. EUGENIUS MADDEN obiit 1673 R. I. P."

"1800, 27. Obdormivit in Domino JOSEPHUS LORCAN de
Graveshill anno 1800, sepultus est in Sacello de Lorcans.

"June 25th. Obdormivit in Dno R^{dus} Pater fr. ANTONIUS
DALAGHANE custos hujus Provinciæ, valde Doctris
Charitatiores, et insequis Prædicator et sepultus est in
Sacristia hujus Conventus de Milick 25th Junii 1669."

"26. Hac die 26 mensis Junii anni 1744 circa undecimam horam matutinam præmissis præmittendis suscepit habitum nostris ordinis in Conventu de Melick Guardiano Rev^o P. J^RANNE KEOGH fr. JOANNES LORCAN filius DANIELI LORCAN et UNÆ MADDIN commorantium in Parochia Clonfertensis agens vigessimum quartum annum retento proprio nomine admissus ad Clericatum."

"July. Hac die 5^{ta} mensis Julii supradictus frater JOANNIS LORCAN decessit hinc Bullagium (?) versus ad novitiatus annum ibidem puplendum (?) ubi professionem emisit an sequenti placet 1749, ab dormivit in Dno, requiescat in pace. This day 5th of the month of July abovenamed brother JOHN LORCAN."

"27th. My LADY CLANRICKARD dyed y^e 27 of June 1711 requiescat in pace."

"Hac die 28 Junij 1735 ex hac vita ELIZABETA NOLAN uxor Dni JACOBI RYAN medici optima benefactrix hujus loci, sepulta fuit die sequenti in nostro sacello, legavit huic conventui. R. I. P."

"30. Obijt Reverendus Adm. Pater GULIELMUS CORMACAN hac die 30 Junii 1635 cujus animo Deus omnipotens misereatur."

'30. Died the Rev. Father WILLIAM CORMACAN, Administrator, this 30 day of June, 1635, on whose soul may the omnipotent God have mercy,'

"HUGH MADDEN, of Clare, was buried in our church the 1st of July, 1730."

"Hac die decima tertia Julij 1718 (?)."

"Hac die decima tertia Julij 1718 sub (?) Guardianatus R^{dis} Patris FRANCISCI MADDIN habitu habitum suscepit Fr. JOANNES KEOGH vigesimo tertio suæ ætatis anno, et in festo S^t Bonaventura sequentis anni 1719 professionis in prædicti Guardiani solemniter it quo anno etiam sacros ordines suscepit in mense Decembris ab Episcopo MAC DERMOTT.

Fr. Francis Maddin, Guardianus.
Fr. Johannes Keogh."

"2^o Anno 1706 obijt illustrissimus Dominus MAURITIUS DONELLANE Epus Clonfertensis, vir pius, Doctus, et prudens, seraphici instituti tertarius professus in eundem

instituti actualis judex conservator Intensa Devotione et summo amore
ordinum prosequens ætatis anno 75 nondum expleto."

"Hac die secundo Julij CATHERINA BLAKE filia STEPHANE BLAKE discepit
munita ecclesiasticis sacramentis pietate et religione illustris ætatis suæ annum ageus decimum quintum, sepulta fuit in nostro sacello anno 1735.

R. I. P."

"7. Hac die 7^a circa horam septimam mane induti sunt habitu probationis nri instituti in conventu de Milick fr. HUGO MALEY filij THADÆI MALEY et MABLINÆ HART agens vigessimum quintum ætatis annum et fr. JOANNES DE BURGO filius PATRICIJ DE BURGO et DOROTHEÆ MADDEN agens decimum sextum ætatis annum in eodem contu de Milick 1731.
Supradicti fratres admissi ad clericatum professi sunt in conventu de Milick hac die octava Julij sequentis anni 1732 in manibus V. Adm. Patris THOMÆ MOOR hujus conventus actualis Guardiani fr. HAGO mutavit nomen in Antonium."

"Hac die supremus claudit dies Dnæ CATHERINÆ DARCY de Kiltullagh, quæ octogenaria et ultra sacramentis ecclesiæ munita cor (?) dedita apert (?), pro inimicis deprecata bona fine quievit in Deo anno 1749 huic (sic) conventui legavit, qui semper benefecit, requiescat in sancta pace. Amen."

"Hac die mensis Julij 1730 circa horam octavam mane obdormivit in Dno Derstta Dna MARIA DEANE uxor Dni PETRI BLAKE munita ecclesiasticis sacramentis, legavit huic conventui. Seputaque in eodem tumulo in nro sacello—suo marito requiescat in sancta pace, et filius non persolvit (?) legata."

"Hac die 14 July 1638 professus est nostram Regulam fr. BON^{RA} BRIEN clericus. Eodem die receperunt chordam St. FRA^{IS} JOANNES USHER et uxor Eus MAGARITA VSHER."

"15th. Obijt hac die decima quinta Julij 1733 Dominus ANDREAS HEARN optimus benefactor huic conventui. R. I. P."

"17th. Hodie migravit ad sponsum (sic) generosa et nobilis femina D^{na} MORINA CARROLL filia Dnⁱ CAROLI CARROLL de Bohernagh et uxor Dni BRASSALLIS MADDEN de Febegg qua cum bona fama vitam finivit, sepulta est in sepulchro Domini O'MADDEN prope Attare majus, et legavit huic conventui.
R. I. P."

“ R. Dns BRASSALUS MADDEN sacerdos ætatis circiter 67.
 Sepultus est in capitulo huius conventus et in habitu objit.
 Legavit huic conventui. R. I. P. Amen.”

COUNTY KERRY.

Great Skellig.

[From Thomas J. Westropp, Esq.]

‘In St. Michael’s Church’ :—

“ To the memory of | PATRICK J. CALLAGHAN | who departed
 this life on | the 3rd Decr. 1868 Aged 2 years and 9 months |
 Also his beloved brother | WILLIAM | who departed this life
 on the 17th | March 1869 aged 4 years and 4 months | May
 they rest in peace.”

COUNTY KILDARE.

Parish of Caragh—Caragh Churchyard.

[From Lord Walter FitzGerald.]

‘This churchyard lies three miles to the south-west of Sallins; a modern chapel stands close to it, but of the old building the foundations alone are discernible. The graveyard contains no inscriptions of any interest, except the one given below, which faces the west’ :—

I. H. S.

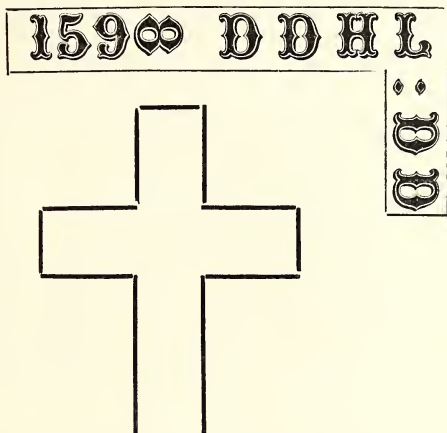
“ Here Lyeth the Rev^d. Father CHRIST^R. NUNY who serv^d this
 Parish Devoutly 41 years. Died Nov^r y^e 9th in y^e 78 year
 of his Age 1765.”

Parish of Churchtown*—Churchtown Churchyard.

‘This churchyard lies three miles to the north-west of Athy. Of the ruins of the church, all that is now left are large portions of the north and south walls; a doorway facing each other is in each, but all cut-stone work has been torn out, to be used as headstones to graves. In what was the chancel, is the half of a square head (with moulded corners) of a granite font. Near where it at present lies, is a slab, much sunk in the ground,

* ‘Though this church is now known by no other name than Churchtown, yet it very probably was called Fasagh Rheban Church, after the district it was situated in.’

measuring 6 feet 4 inches by 2 feet 2 inches; a large thorn tree over-shadows it; down the centre, lightly incised, runs a plain cross on three steps; at the head of the stone, along the rim, and partly down one side, runs a date and some letters, thus':—



‘The lettering is in relief, and, as far as I know, has not been explained. It is probable that other interesting slabs are lying underneath the fallen masonry and accumulation of clay.’

‘On another slab, which is raised above the level of the ground by means of a pile of loose stones, also in the chancel, is the following inscription, in raised letters’ :—

IN  RI
IHS

“Here lyeth y^e Body of BRYAN M^c MANUS late of Castle Rebban who departed this life y^e 9th of Dec^{br} 1729 aged 47 years & of his mother in law CATHRIN COFFIE who departed this life in y^e 73rd year of her age & also of his Daughter CATHRINE M^c MANUS who departed this life in 1729 and in y^e 20th year of her age.

Memento [Skull and cross-bones] mori.”

‘[Portion broken off.]’

‘On a table tomb, near the above, is this inscription’ :—

“Here lyeth the Body of JAMES MOOR who departed this life y^e 10th day of June 1758 Aged 37 y^{rs} Also SARAH WALSH who Departed her Life April 2nd 1771 Aged 24 y^{rs}”

"Here lyeth y^e Body of PATRICK M'EVOR Dep^d July y^e 1st
1782 aged 60 y^{rs} y^e Lord have Mercy on his Soul Amen."
[A headstone.]

"Here lieth the Body of ROGER FLAHERTY who depa^{rt}-
ed this life Augus^t the 6th 1765 Aged 21."
[A headstone.]

Cloncurry Churchyard—Parish of Cloncurry.

'The old Churchyard of Cloncurry lies a couple of miles to the east of Enfield Station on the Midland Great Western Railway. It is situated close to a good specimen of the Pagan burial moats, which stands to the west of it. Of the old church, the west gable end surmounted by a battlemented double belfry still stands, as well as portions of the N. and S. walls, while the chancel has been modernised and converted into a burial enclosure for the Aylmer and Luby families; a locked iron gate into it prevents the inscriptions on the tombs being read, except one to the Luby family, which is a mural tablet and has a shamrock in relief at the top, below which is the following inscription':—

"This Stone was Erected by THOMAS LUBY June y^e 1st
1739 in memory of WILL^m LUBY originally O'CONNOR
who departed this Life Nov^{br} y^e ... 1703 whose
Ancestors were buried in Ballinadrimna and MARY LUBY
als STACK (?) his Wife & MARY LUBY als FOORD Wife
of s^d THOMAS LUBY & WILLIAM his Son."

'On the exterior of the south wall of the chancel is a mural tablet, on which is incised':—

"Sacred to the Memory of JOHN LUBE^e ESQUIRE who died
on the 29th of May 1862 at the early age of 27 years.
His remains are buried at Glasnevin He directed this tablet
to be Erected at the Family Vault Cloncurry near the Home
of his Ancestors, where his Uncle DENIS GEORGE LUBE,
Esqr. late of Corkernstown, lies interred Who died on the
18th June 1852, and where a Mural Monument within the
Chancel Commemorates the Grave of his Ancestor WILLIAM
LUBIE of the ancient O'CONNOR Faley Sept a distinguished
Officer of King James' Army Who died A.D. 1703."

'Inside the west end of the church ruins lie the two following slabs thus inscribed':—

"Beneath this Stone lies the Body of MR PHILL^p REED
late of Dysart who departed this life y^e 2nd of Nov^r 1774
Aged 57 years Also his Daughter HESTHER Departed

this Life y^e 22nd of Nov^r 1773 Aged 17 y^{rs} Also his
Daughter BRIDGET McLAUGHRY als REED Depart^d this Life
y^e 13 Iune 1782 Aged 29 yr^s ”

“JOHN DONNELLAN died Ap^l y^e 20th 1741 Aged 36.
HANNAH DONNELLAN died May y^e 10th 1736 Aged 2 years.
TERESA DONNELLAN died March y^e 16th 1737 Aged one
year & a half. NEHEMIAH DONNELLAN died August y^e 13th
1739 aged one year. ELIZABETH DONNELLAN died JULY
y^e 16th 1741 Aged two years.”

‘Above this inscription, carved in relief, is an ornamental shield with
two coats-of-arms impaled, and a helmet and crest, as given below’ :—

‘For DONNELLAN.—“Argent, a tree eradicated vert, fructed or.”’

‘The sinister impalement is :—“A fess between three crosslets fitché
(or three crosses potent fitché). If the former it may possibly be intended
for the arms of the Gore family.”’

‘The above information on the coats was obtained from Sir Arthur Vicars
(Ulster), as Burke’s “General Armory” did not give a Donnellan coat
corresponding with those on the stone.’

‘The next two inscriptions are taken from headstones on the south side
of the churchyard; the Hughes one is very roughly done’ :—

“HERE LYETH THE BODY OF IAMES HUGHES
2 WIFES WHO DEPARTED THER LIFE WAN IN
Y^EEAR OF 1723 OTHER IN 1739 ALLSO HIS
POSTARTYS” (*sic*).

“THIS STONE WAS ERECTED BY IAMES
MAGAUNE IN MEMORY OF HIS FATHER^R
DANIEL MAGAUEN DEPARTED Y^S LIFE
IANRY Y^E FIRST 1683 AGED 30 YEARS
& HIS WIFE ANNORY DOULING ALIS
MAGAUEN DEPARTED THIS LIFE APRIL Y^E 21ST
1728 AGE^P 66 YEARS & ALSO DAUID MAGAUEN
HIS UNKEL DEPARTED APRIL Y^E 9TH 1731 AGED
74 YEARS.”

Parish of Kilcock, Kilcock Churchyard.

‘This churchyard is situated in the town of Kilcock; all traces of the
church ruins are gone, except a portion of the foundations of the walls.

The following inscription, copied from a headstone, appears to be the oldest in the churchyard':—

“ HERE LYETH THE BODY OF GARRET
BRYNE WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE THE
11TH OF AUGUST ANN DOM^o 1704.”

Naas Parish—St. David's Church.

‘ The following are mural monuments on the north wall.

‘ The first as you enter the church is ’:—

“ TO THE MEMORY OF CHARLES STANNARD
EUSTACE OF ROBERTSTOWN CO. KILDARE |
WHO DIED 14TH FEBRUARY 1875 | THIS
TABLET | IS ERECTED BY HIS WIDOW |
ROSETTA PHILIPPA EUSTACE.
ALSO TO THE MEMORY OF HIS FATHER |
CHARLES EUSTACE DE JURE VISCOUNT
BALTINGLASS, IN THE KINGDOM OF
IRELAND, WHO DIED JANUARY 1856. |
THE FORMER TABLET | OF THE ABOVE
NAMED CHARLES STANNARD EUSTACE |
TO THE MEMORY OF HIS FATHER | HAVING
BEEN DESTROYED | AT THE BURNING
DOWN OF | THE ROUND CHURCH DUBLIN
IN JANUARY 1860. | A.D. 1881.”

[White marble.]

‘ The next monument is also of white marble :—

‘ The *Crest*—A stag's head (?)

‘ *Arms*—1st or, (?) a saltier (gu ?), 2nd a lion rampant. (?) ’

“ Sacred to the Memory of | Lieut. General CHARLES EUSTACE
of | Robertstown in this County, [a lineal descendant of |
RICHARD VISCOUNT BALTINGLASS, BARON-PORT LESTER (*sic*)] |
late Colonel of His Majesty's 68th Regt. of Foot |
Governor of Ross Castle, and many years a member | of
Parliament, who departed this life the 10th of June 1801. |
Also to Mrs. ALICE EUSTACE his wife daughter of |

OLIVER McCAUSLAND of Strabane in the | County Tyrone
Esqr. | who died the 3rd of Decr. 1824. |
She was a kind and tender parent a sincere | friend and
a most devout Christian."

'The next is a small tablet of white marble':—

"In the memory of CHRISTOPHER KNIGHT LEE ESQUIRE |
Lieutenant and Adjutant 89th Regt. who | unfortunately
met his death by drowning on the | 26th day of March
1835. | aged 25 years.

This officer by his many and singularly amiable qualities
endeared himself not only to his brother officers | but to
every individual in the corps to which he belonged, |
and the manifest but subdued grief testified at his | funeral
were eloquent tokens of the esteem in which | he was held. |
This Tablet was erected | by his affectionate sister."

[M. & P. Harris.]

'Underneath the last is a brass, with the following, in old English:—

"In Loving Memory of WILLIAM DE BURGH, D.D.,
sometime Rector of Ardboe in the County of Tyrone |
whose life of earnest piety, marked also by deep learning |
employed in the study and interpretation of the Sacred
Scriptures | gave an example of true devotion to his
Master's cause. |

He fell asleep in Christ Octr. 15 in the year | of his age
66, of our Salvation 1866."

'The next is a memorial window of stained glass, King David and
King Solomon, and underneath, this inscription':—

"TO . THE . GLORY . OF . GOD . AND . IN .
MEMORY . OF . RICHARD SOUTHWELL
BURKE . 6TH EARL | OF MAYO . K.P. G.C.S.I.
VICEROY & GOVERNOR GENERAL . OF . INDIA .
BORN . FEB . 21 1822 | DIED . FEB . 8TH
1872 . ERECTED BY SOME OF HIS FRIENDS
AS A TRIBUTE OF AFFECTION & ESTEEM."

'It will be remembered that Lord Mayo was murdered by a native
risoner of Upper India at the Andaman Islands.'

‘ On a small white marble slab ’:—

“ IN MEMORY OF | THOMAS BURGH Esq^R
OF OLDTOWN | HE DIED 28TH NOV^R 1832 |
AGED 78. | ALSO OF FLORINDA
GARDINER | HIS WIFE | SHE DIED 18TH
APRIL 1830 | AGED 70.”

[ix. Rom. 16.]

‘ On the north side of the chancel arch ’:—

“ ERECTED | BY | THOMAS DE BURGH |
OF OLDTOWN ESQUIRE | AND THEIR OTHER
SURVIVING CHILDREN | IN AFFECTIONATE
REMEMBRANCE | OF | THE VERY REVEREND
THOMAS JOHN, DEAN OF CLOYNE WHO
DIED THE 5TH OF SEPTEMBER 1845, |
AGED 59 YEARS | AND OF THE RIGHT
HONOURABLE | THE LADY ANNE LOUISA
DE BURGH | HIS WIFE | WHO DIED THE
20TH OF DECEMBER 1857, AGED 71 YEARS.”*

[1 Thess. ch. iv. 13.]

‘ On the right of the chancel is a monument ’:—

“ Erected | by the Hon. RICHARD HELY HUTCHINSON in
affectionate remembrance | of his sister | the Lady CHARLOTTE
SOPHIA WOLFE | Widow of the late Rev. RICHARD WOLFE
of Forenaghts | who entered into her rest | January 19th
1870, aged 71 years.”

[Job xxix. 11, Ps. cxxvii. 2.]

‘ Next this, on the south wall, is a small tablet of white marble ’:—

“ Sacred | to the memory of | HELENA | wife of | ADAM
BEVERHOUDT Lieut. of H. M. 58th Regt. Daughter of
THOMAS JACKSON of Fanningstown | in the County of
Limerick Esquire who | died the 13th day of February in
the | year of our Lord 1829, aged 22 years | and whose
remains are interred in the adjoining churchyard.”

* For particulars of Dean Burgh's or de Burgh's birth, marriage, and children, &c., and clerical history, see “Records of Cork, Cloyne, and Ross,” by the late Rev. M. Brady, 1863, vol. ii., p. 205.—[Ed.]

‘On top, arms and supporters. Figures of Angels weeping, &c.’

“This monument was erected by JOHN the fourth Earl of MAYO | in memory of his Grandfather | JOHN the first EARL of MAYO | and his Father JOSEPH DEAN | Lord Archbishop of TUAM, and Earl of Mayo who died | the 17th of August 1794 | aged 63 years.”

‘A white marble monument, having on top a helmet and military trophies’ :—

“Sacred to the Memory of MAJOR GENERAL LEWIS THOMAS C.B. | Colonel of the 3rd Regt. of Foot, Bengal Army, E.I.C.S. | son of LEWIS THOMAS Esq., Brookhill, Co. Kilkenny and Grandson of the RT. HONBLE SIR EDWARD LOVETT PEARCE | He entered the Service in 1788 and distinguished himself | received the public thanks of the Government twice | and of the Commanders in Chief, on the Field. He died 3rd May 1824 at Caunpore in Command | and in humble and devout gratitude to Almighty God for the manifold blessings enjoyd by him thro’ life | Bequeathed to the benefit of the poor of the Parish Church of Naas £20 per Annum for ever, to the ministers | and Church-wardens Trustees. ABI ET FACTU SIMILITER.”

‘Beneath is the family crest, a lion rampant.

‘Arms ——. Motto—Ad mortem fidelis.’

‘The above completes the mural monuments within the church; for those on the floor see Vol. i., p. 192.

‘The east window is of stained glass to the memory of a former Rector, the Rev. Maurice T. De Burgh, who died in 1894, Archdeacon of Kildare.

‘The Lectern is of brass, very handsome, with an inscription near its base.

‘The Pulpit is of Bath stone, carved and handsome.

‘It appears to be a great pity the present wholesale introduction into this country by architects and others concerned in church restoration, &c., of Bath and Caen stone, when our own country is so abundant in stone and marble of a far more lasting nature, to say nothing of their superior appearance. We think a change might well be made in this matter, and money now spent with our neighbours across the channel, expended amongst our needy countrymen.

'THE BELLS.

'The following inscription is on the only bell in the tower':—

"OS : MEVM : LAVDABIT : DOMINVM : IN :
ECCLĀ : SCTĪ : DAVIDIS : DE : NAAS :

 RP  WC   1674 S ∞ S S ∞ S
S ∞ S S ∞ S."

"My mouth shall praise the Lord in the Church of Saint David of Naas."

'The letters RP and WC are probably those of the bell-founders, or else of the churchwardens. The figures in the last line of the above inscription are meant to represent bells. The inscription runs round the bell.

'The diameter of this bell is 3 feet 3 inches.'

'Do the letters S ∞ S at the end of the above inscription stand for Sanctus—Sanctus, &c.?'

With reference to this bell, and the initials, &c., on it, Richard Langrishe, Esq., writes:—R. P. stands for Robert Perdue, and W. C., William Covey, the two principal makers of the company of bell-founders who came to Ireland from Salisbury in 1671, to erect the bells of St. Patrick's and Christ Church Cathedrals in Dublin. They cast six for Limerick and six for Kilkenny, all from the small "Sweeps." The Limerick and St. Patrick's tenor bells still exist.

William Perdue, the elder brother, died at Limerick, and his tomb and epitaph are mentioned in Dineley's "Tour"—fortunately—as the tombstone is gone:—

"Here a bellfounder, honest and true,
Till the resurrection—lies PERDUE."

Mr. Langrishe says "their marks were bells and scrolls, not S's," as we surmised.

COUNTY KILKENNY.

St. Patrick's Parish, Kilfera—Church of St. Fiacre.



I. H. S.

“Gloria in Excelsis Deo.”

Erected by MATT. POWER in memory of his father EDWARD POWER who dep^d this life Sept. 27th (?) 1813 aged 70° years. Also his mother MARGARET POWER who dep^d this life Octr. 2nd 1817, aged 70 years. Also his son EDW^d POWER departed this life Janry 4th (?) 1818 aged 9 years & 7 months.

Lord have mercy on their souls. Amen.”

Kilfera Churchyard—(Continued).

“Here lieth the body of KENNY PURCELL Esqr. who departed this life 30th May 1869 In the 81st year of his Age. He was Clerk of the Peace for the County of Kilkenny For nearly 20 years. May he rest in peace Amen. Also the body of FRANCES AUGUSTA widow of WILLIAM HENRY HUNT J.P. Jerpoint House and Relict of KENNY PURCELL Esqr. she died 26th July 1882 aged 82 years.”

‘This altar-tomb is erected within the space formerly occupied by a very small oratory, the ancient walls of which, I believe, were taken down. and the present dwarf walls built on the same lines. When making the grave for Mr. Purcell, an old stone coffin was discovered, supposed to have held the body of St. Fiacre; the head and arms were missing, but the rest of the body was in it. This coffin now stands propped up against another stone.



I. H. S.

D. O. M.

“God be merciful to the Soul of JOHN POWER who died in the y^r 1758 aged 69. Also his Wife MARG^t POWER a^{ls} BERGIN who died in the y^r 1741, Aged 50, with THO^s MARG^t JN^o JOAN & JN^o grandchildren of PATT POWER.”

‘There are no more tombstones with inscriptions.’

Kilmacow Parish, Diocese of Ossory.

‘The old parish church and burial-ground are about a mile from Kilmacow station, in the village of that name. The church was dedicated to St. Mochua, hence the name Kilmacow. The ancient church has disappeared, having been replaced by a modern one, built in 1818.

‘Mr. Manning mentions a very ancient tombstone, of which he writes:—

‘This tombstone is easily found, being now set up on end against the east wall of the graveyard—a conspicuous object. The lettering appears to commence with the words ‘This done’ [Qy. this stone?—P. D. V.] in English, and to bear the name ‘BUTLER’ further on, and to end with the date MCCCCC, and, being in good preservation, might be easily read by a person of any experience who had half an hour to spare. The rubbing is not nearly so distinct as the stone. It was taken by Mr. John Hewetson, and sent by the Rev. T. W. Manning, Incumbent of the Parish, to Canon E. F. Hewson, Gowran, 28th August, 1896.”

[From the Rev. T. White Manning, Kilmacow Rectory.]

“In the family vault of the GREENES of Greenville in this church lie interred the remains of ROBERT ROCHFORD, late of Clogrenane, in the County of Carlow, Esqr. He died at Bishopp Hall the 14th of Feb. 1757, in the 31st year of his age.”

‘On the floor of the vestry there is a flat slab, with the following inscription’ :—

“Here lyeth y^e body of y^e REV^d JOHN DRAY who Departed this Life y^e 3^d of August 1740 in y^e 33^d Yeare of his age.
Also y^e Body of ANN DRAY his daughter who Departed this Life y^e 24th of July 1740 in y^e 5th Yeare of her age.”

Parish of Ballycallan.

‘St. Bridget, or Brigid, of Kildare is the patroness of the Parish of Ballycallan. Her festival is observed on the 1st of February. On the eve of the festival children and men may be observed wending their way to the churchyard. The surface of the graves is dug up; sand is placed upon them; they are raised, made smooth and neatly rounded; they are then decked with holly and ivy and other evergreens, together with such flowers as can be procured.

‘In this churchyard are interred the remains of a benevolent gentleman, JOSEPH EVANS, Esq., of Belevan, near Ballycallan. Annexed is a copy of the inscription on his tomb’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of JOSEPH EVANS Esqr. of Belevan who died on the 7th day of August 1818, aged 72 years. He founded and endowed, in the City of Kilkenny, an asylum for Decayed Servants and Orphan Children, and left an ample bequest in aid of the other established Charitable Institutions.”

‘On another tomb is the following inscription’ :—

“Here lieth the body of JOSEPH EVANS, of Belevan in the County of Kilkenny, Esqr., who departed this life the 26th of February, 1788, in the 89th year of his age.”

St. Michael's Church.

‘The Church of St. Michael was situated between the hamlet of Goldenfield and the monument bush at Damagh. The churchyard is still used as a cemetery. It appears from an inscription on a very plain headstone that this church was built by WILLIAM SMYTH, Esq., who died in 1655. He was the eldest son of SMYTH, of Long Ashton, near Bristol, in England.

‘According to a local legend, the design of the founder was to erect his church near the ancient mansion place of the SMYTH family, the site of which is now occupied by the hospitable residence of P. Kelly, Esq., Damagh.’

‘According to an inscription on another stone, the church was re-built by JOHN SMYTH, who died in 1708, and is buried within the church. How the church should require to be re-built within so short a period, I am at a loss to explain. The outlines and some portions of the walls of the church remain. It was of an oblong form, being fifty English feet long and nineteen feet wide. The walls were only twenty-three inches thick. A portion of the western gable is about thirteen feet high. There was a door at the south side, and the altar stood at the east end. The northern side wall was supported by three buttresses. About sixty years ago the roof fell off this church.’

‘Though there is no prayer on the monuments for the repose of the soul of the founder, yet the fact of a pattern being held there, and the tradition of the neighbourhood that no Protestant was ever interred in this graveyard, show that the church was erected for Catholic worship. Two of the headstones belonging to the SMYTH family were formerly mural entablatures. The recesses in the walls from which they fell are still visible.

‘These memorial slabs have been appropriated by other families, and bear the following inscriptions’ :—

D. O. M.

“HERE LYETH THE BODIE OF WILLIAM SMYTH, OF
DAMAGE, ESQ. SOME TYME SECRETARIE TO JAMES,
EARLE OF ORMONDE AND OSSORIE.

LONG AFTER ALL WAS MADE, I MADE, WAS MARR'D
BY ERROR OF MY PARENTS E'RE I ERR'D

FOR TO THE WORLD I CAME (THROUGH THEYR OFFENCE)
 A SINNFULL CREATURE IN MYNE INNOCENCE.
 THROUGH ALL MY LIFE SINNES BURTHENS ON ME LAY,
 YET THE DEERE LAMBE OF GOD TOOKE THEM AWAYE.
 READER EACH FREND (AT LEAST REMEMBER ME,
 AND DOE AS (IN LIFE) THUS DID FOR ME.
 LORD HELPE ALL THOSE WHICH HAVE HOLPEN MEE,
 OR PRAYED FOR ME, OR SHOWED TO ME ANY DEED OF PITTYE.
 IN DOMINO OBDORMIVIT 24 DIE MENSIS APRILIS
 ANNO SALUTIS 1655."

'Another inscription':—

"WILLIAM SMYTH, ESQ., ELDEST SON OF SMYTH,
 ESQ., OF LONG ASHTON NEAR BRISTOL, BUILT THIS
 CHURCH AND DYED ON THE 24TH OAY OF APRIL,
 1655, AGED 65 YEARS.

MARY SMYTH, ALIAS KINSMAN, WIFE TO SAID
 WILLIAM, DYED ON THE 16TH DAY OF MAY 1658.

LAURENCE SMYTH, SON TO SAID WILLIAM, WAS
 KILLED AT THE SIEGE OF DROGHEDA ON THE 11TH
 DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1649, AGED 28 YEARS.

ANNA MARIA SMYTH, ALIAS PREBITZER, WIFE TO
 SAID LAURENCE, DYED AT BILBAO ON THE 23RD
 DAY OF JANUARY, 1676.

VALENTINE SMYTH, son to said LAURENCE, dyed at Bath on
 the 15th day of March, 1700, aged 59 years. MARY SMYTH,
 alias BRYAN, wife to said VALENTINE, dyed on the 21st day
 of March, 1706. JOHN SMYTH, son to said VALENTINE, dyed
 on the 8th day of June, 1708, aged 41 years. JANE SMYTH,
 alias READ, wife to said JOHN, died on the 28th day of
 August, 1747, aged 71 years."

'The above will appear more clearly from the following arrangement:—

'WM. SMYTH, who built the church, died 1655, a. 65 years; m. MARY
 KINSMAN, d. 1658.

'LAURENCE SMYTH, killed at the siege of Drogheda 11, 9, 1649, a. 28,
 m. ANNA MARIA PREBITZER, died 1676.

'VALENTINE SMYTH died in Bath in 1700, a. 59, and was there interred in St. Michael's Church; m. MARY BRYAN, d. 1706.

'JOHN SMYTH, who rebuilt this church, d. 8, 6, 1708, aged 41; m. JANE REALL, died 28, 7, 1747, a. 71 years.

'The SMYTHS were brought from England by the ORMONDS, from whom they obtained considerable grants of lands, not only in Damagh, but also at Ballyline, Westcourt, Callan, &c. Their descendants are still, or were until lately, proprietors in that district.'

The above are taken from "Notes on the Antiquities of the United Parishes of Ballycallan, Kilmanagh, and Killaloe," by the Rev. J. Holahan, C.C., 1875.

Muckalee Old Churchyard, Barony of Fassardinan.

[Contributed by the Rev. W. Healy, P.P.]

1. "Erected by DL. LYONS in memory of his Father JAMES LYONS who departed this life January 1764 Aged 52. Also his Mother ELENOR LYONS al. BUTLER who departed August 1792 Aged 76."

2. "Here lies the body of MARGARET BLANCHFIELD al. BRENNAN departed May 1760 Aged 60 years. Her Husband EDWARD BLANCHFIELD Aged 70 and their son WILLIAM who departed December year 1764 Aged 50. Also their daughter ELINOR with her husband MATHIAS DINOG. Erected by RICHARD BLANCHFIELD."

3. "Here lies the body of RICHARD BLANCHFIELD who departed Decembr. 21 1782 Aged 65 years. Also his son JOHN departed March 1st 1788."

4. "Here lies the body of PETER BLANCHFIELD deceased Feby. y^e 4th 1758 Aged 40 years. Erected by his Wife WINIFRED BLANCHFIELD al. BRENNAN. Lord have mercy on his soul."

5. "Here lies the body of MICHAEL COMERFORD who departed on Easter Sunday in y^e year of 1747 Aged 64 years. Also the body of JOAN COMERFORD and CATHERINE COMERFORD who departed in the year 1767 Aged 78 years. Erected by EDMOND COMERFORD. The Lord have mercy on their souls."

6. "Here lieth the body of PATRICK FORISTAL of Ballyfoyle who departed this life the 23rd day of February 1793 Aged 58 years, with two of his children."

7. "Erected by THOMAS FORRESTAL of Ballyfoyle in memory of his Mother ANASTASIA FORRESTAL al. HOYNE who departed this life Decr. 24 1804 Aged 66 years, with one of their grandchildren. May her soul rest in peace. Amen."
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8. "Erected by THOMAS STAPLETON in memory of his Father MARTIN STAPLETON who dyed August the 29th 1791 Aged 60 years. Also his son PIERCE STAPLETON who dyed 22nd 1777 Aged 21" (*sic*).
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9. "Here lies the body of CATHERINE LARACY al. CAHEL who died July 10 1790 Aged 53 years. May her soul rest in peace. Amen."
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10. "God be merciful to the souls of THOMAS and CATHERINE GRACE & CATH. MORAN. THOMAS GRACE departed this life 6th Oct. 1796 Aged 80 years. CATHERINE GRACE al. McMAHON departed this life 8th Nov. 1794 Aged 74 years. CATHERINE MORAN al. GRACE departed this life 3rd Aug. 1814 Aged 28 years. Also JAMER GRACE who departed this life April 18 1838 Aged 98 years. And MARY GRACE departed this life Decr. 14 1843 Aged 87 years. Also THOMAS GRACE of Muckalee who departed this life Feby. 7th 1854 Aged 60 years."
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11. "Pray for the Soul of PHILIP GRACE of Cellarstown who departed this life March y^e 19 1753 in the 66 year of his age, and 6 of his children. This was erected by his son MICHAEL GRACE."
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12. "Erected by JOHN MURRY in memory of ELIZABETH HOLOHAN who departed this life on the 8th Nov. 1770 Aged 32 years, with three of his children. May they rest in peace."
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13. "God be merciful to the soul of JOHN FITZGERALD, he departed Oct. 28 1789 Aged 60 years. Also JUDITH HOBAN al. McEVOY who departed March 29 1793 Aged 52 years. Erected by PIERCE HOBAN her husband."
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14. "God be merciful to the soul of CATHERINE PURCELL al. O'FARRELL of Mt. Oliver in the Queen's County, who departed this life the 12th day of Decr. 1797 Aged 34 years. Also her daughter ANNE PURCELL who lies here interred. She was a loving wife, a tender and affectionate mother, is universally regretted by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance."

15. "Sacred to the memory of Mrs. MARGARET KELLY al. PURCELL. This stone was erected by her husband Mr. LAURENCE KELLY of Thomas Street, Dublin. She departed this life the 27 day of April 1797 Aged 25 years. May her soul rest in peace. Amen. Gentlest spirit, thou child of elegance and sweet simplicity, Adieu."
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16. "Here lyeth the body of PHILIP PURCELL, he departed this life the 4th of April 1788 Aged 63 years."
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17. "Pray for the soul of MARY PURCELL al. BUGGEY deceased July 16 1751 Aged 25 years. Also her son PATRICK PURCELL. May they rest in peace. Amen."
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Diocese of Ossory.

[From Surgeon Lieut.-Col. J. Greene, A.M.S.]

'Inscription on a tombstone in the cemetery attached to the R. C. Church of St. Canice, Kilkenny, commonly called "The Butts Chapel"':—

"Sacred to the memory of the | Rev. RICHARD FRANCIS GREENE C.C. | son of | Major JOSEPH GREENE | formerly of Shandon, Dungarvan | afterwards of Waterford. | He entered the Irish College, Paris | December 1826 | And leaving on 5th August 1832 | was curate of the Church of St. Canice | From April 1833 to September 1838 | when ill health compelled him | to retire from his sacred duties | He died at Kilkenny | 14th February 1839 | R.I.P. | Erected by his nephew | RICHARD GREENE F.R.C.P.E."

KING'S COUNTY.

Durrow Parish.

[From Lord Walter Fitzgerald, F.R.S.A.]

'Durrow Churchyard lies in Mr. Hector R. Toler's demesne of Durrow Abbey, about four miles from Tullamore. A small disused Protestant Church in it contains a few modern mural tablets, and one interesting pavement slab. The latter lies just inside the western entrance; it bears a short inscription in large raised letters, below which is an unfinished coat-of-arms; the sinister half is not commenced, and the dexter half contains two stages perpendicular, one above the other, the upper one is given a long tail like a cow. The inscription is as follows':—

“HEARE LYETH THE BODY OF FRANCIS
DERENCI WHO DYED IN TINICR^{OS} IN
THE YEARE OF OVR LORD GOD 1665.

‘There was a family of De Rinzy, who was granted the manor of Clobemon, Co. Wexford, by Charles I., and whose arms were, a springing buck; it is possible the above Francis was a member of that family.’

We can make nothing of the “knot” and other objects at the foot of the stone. We shall be glad if some of our friends can.

The hind legs of the upper stag are very indistinct, from the effect of people walking constantly on them in passing in and out of the church.

Nothing certain is known of this De Renci; he may have been, and probably was, a son or near relative of Sir Mathew De Renzi, of Athlone, who died in 1634. [See “Memorials of the Dead,” vol. ii., p. 228.—Ed.]

In “Ulster’s” office, in Dublin, there is a funeral entry showing the Arms of Sir Mathew De Renzi, of Dublin, Knt. (who married Anne, daughter of Richard Maypowder, of Killinaboy), who died 29th August, 1634.

There is some slight similarity between these Arms and those on the Durrow stone.

The De Renzi Arms on the former are : Sa, a stag rampant, or.

Clononey Castle, near Cloghan.

[From the Rev. E. D. Atkinson, Donaghcloney, Waringstown, 1897.]

“HERE UNDER LEYS ELIZABETH AND MARY
BULLYN DAUGHTERS OF THOMAS BULLYN
SON OF GEORGE BULLYN THE SON OF GEORGE
BULLYN VICOUNT ROCHFORD SON OF SIR
THOMAS BULLYN ERLE OF ORMOND AND
WILLSHEERE.”

Mr. Atkinson adds :—

‘According to an old family tradition, a female relative of Queen Anne Boleyn intermarried with one of the Atkinsons of Cangort, Shinrone, King’s County.

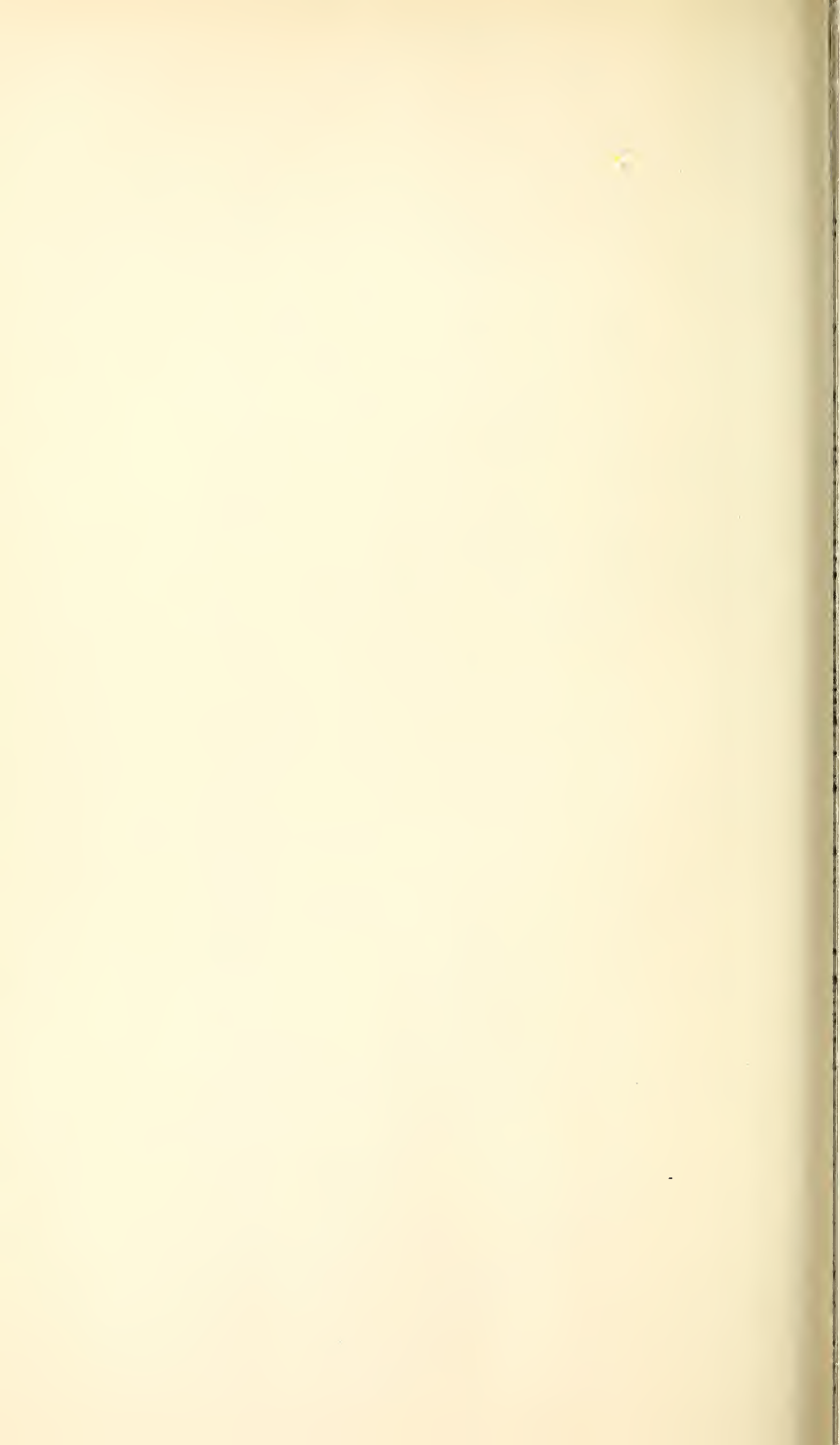
‘Clononey was one of the castles of the McCoghans, but how the

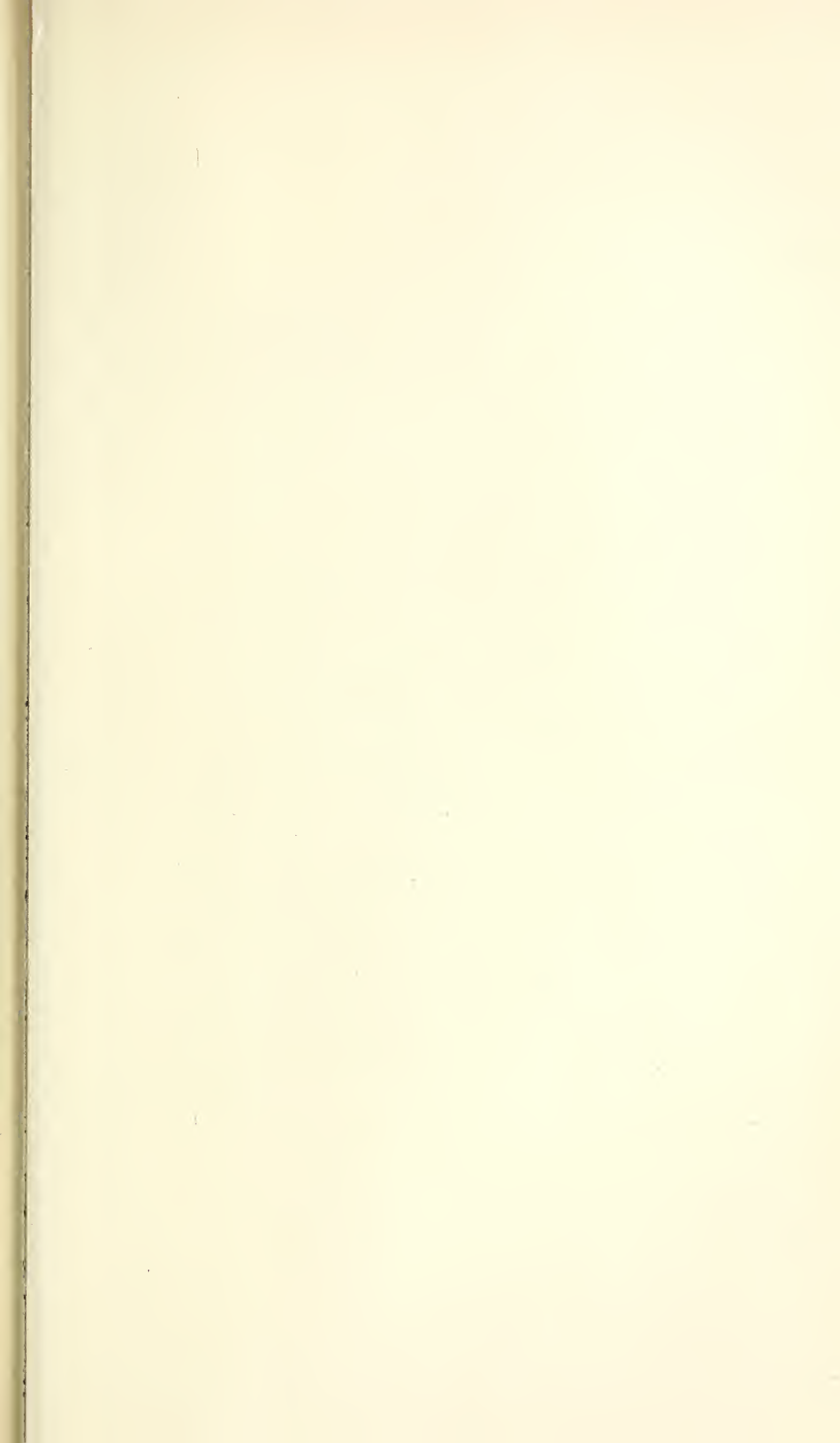
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BOTTOM

ON THE DE RENCI TOMBSTONE. AT THE WEST DOOR OF DUNROW CHURCH,
KINGS COUNTY, 1665.







COFFEY MONUMENT AT LYNALLY OLD CHURCH,
KING'S COUNTY, 1897.

From a Rubbing by the Rev. R. S. Craig.

above stone, which is an ordinary flat tombstone (lying close to the ancient keep), came to be there, I have never heard any suggestion.'

We beg to thank Mr. Atkinson for the above very interesting inscription, now, we believe, for the first time put in print.—[Ed.]

"This seat was built by ANDREW BRISCOE Esq. The gro
[und] whereon said pue is [erect]ed was granted to Hi[s]
Posterety for ever by ma..... Post virtutem 1768."

('The above is on a stone in the wall of old Lynally Church. It is broken off at the right side, and I have filled in what I imagine was originally there. The Briscoes are still resident landlords in the Parish of Lynally.')

"Here lyeth the corps of the Rev. M. PETER LAFLACETTE the late vicar of Fercall who departed this life Sept. 30 A.D. 1726. ESTHER LAFLACETTE wife of the above is also commemorated on the same stone, she died in 1733."

'This is in old Lynally churchyard.'

Old Lynally Church.

[Kindly contributed by the Rev. R. S. Craig, Rector of Tullamore, 1896.]

'INSCRIPTION.'

"THIS MONUMENT WAS MADE FOR THOMAS
COFFY CLEARKE AND HIS DEARE WIFE
ANNE HIDE AND THEIR POSTERITIE
ANNO DOM: 1684."

'Motto—"Non Victoria sed Providentia."'

'I have been trying to find out something of the descendants of above Thomas Coffy Clearke, but so far without success. There is a Mrs. *Hyde Clarke*, sister of G. R. Wade, Esq., Belvidere Lodge, Mullingar.

'Underneath the tablet, figured on opposite page, is a tombstone with this inscription':—

"HERE LYETH THE BODY OF THOMAS
COFFY CLEARKE, MASTER IN ARTS OF
TRINITY COLLEDGE DUBLIN, VICAR OF
FERCALL, AND ONE OF HIS MAIESTIE'S
CHARLES II JUSTICES OF THE PEACE IN
THE KING'S COUNTY WHO DIED MARCH
YE 30 1690."

We feel disposed to think that both the above monuments are to members of the Coffy family, and not to those of the Clarke family, as mentioned by Mr. Craig.

The words "Clarke" being meant to denote the profession (clerk, clericus).—[E.D.]

'N.B.—Lynally is one of the parishes formerly comprised in the union of Fercall.—R. S. C.'

Monasteroris.

[From Thomas R. Murray, Esq., Edenderry, 1897.]

'The inscription given below is on an ancient tombstone now buried underground, in the old churchyard':—

"HERE LYETH THE BODY OF WINWOOD
BLUNDELL SON OF GEORGE BLUNDELL
OF EDENDERRY BARRONET WHO
DEPARTED THIS LIFE JULY 30TH 1680."

COUNTY LEITRIM.

Nil.

COUNTY LIMERICK.

Dromkeen.

[Copied by James G. Barry, 23rd February, 1897.]

'Mural slab inserted in south wall, interior of ruined church of Dromkeen; Roman capitals incised':—

"This Church rebuilt in the year 1717.

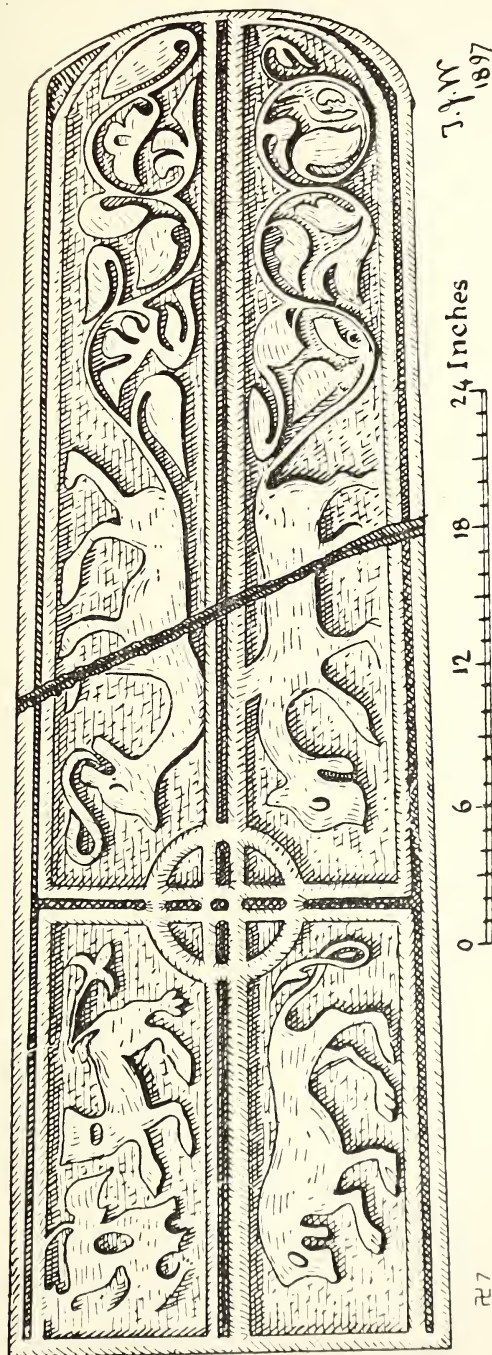
By Rev. RICD. BURGH son of Right Rev. Dr. ULISES BURGH
Lait (*sic*) Lord Bishop of Ardagh being The Burying Place
of his Ancestors time Immemorial.

His First Son MICHAEL Buryed Here Year 1693.

His Dr Wife ELIZ. GRIFFIN Buryed Here January 1716.

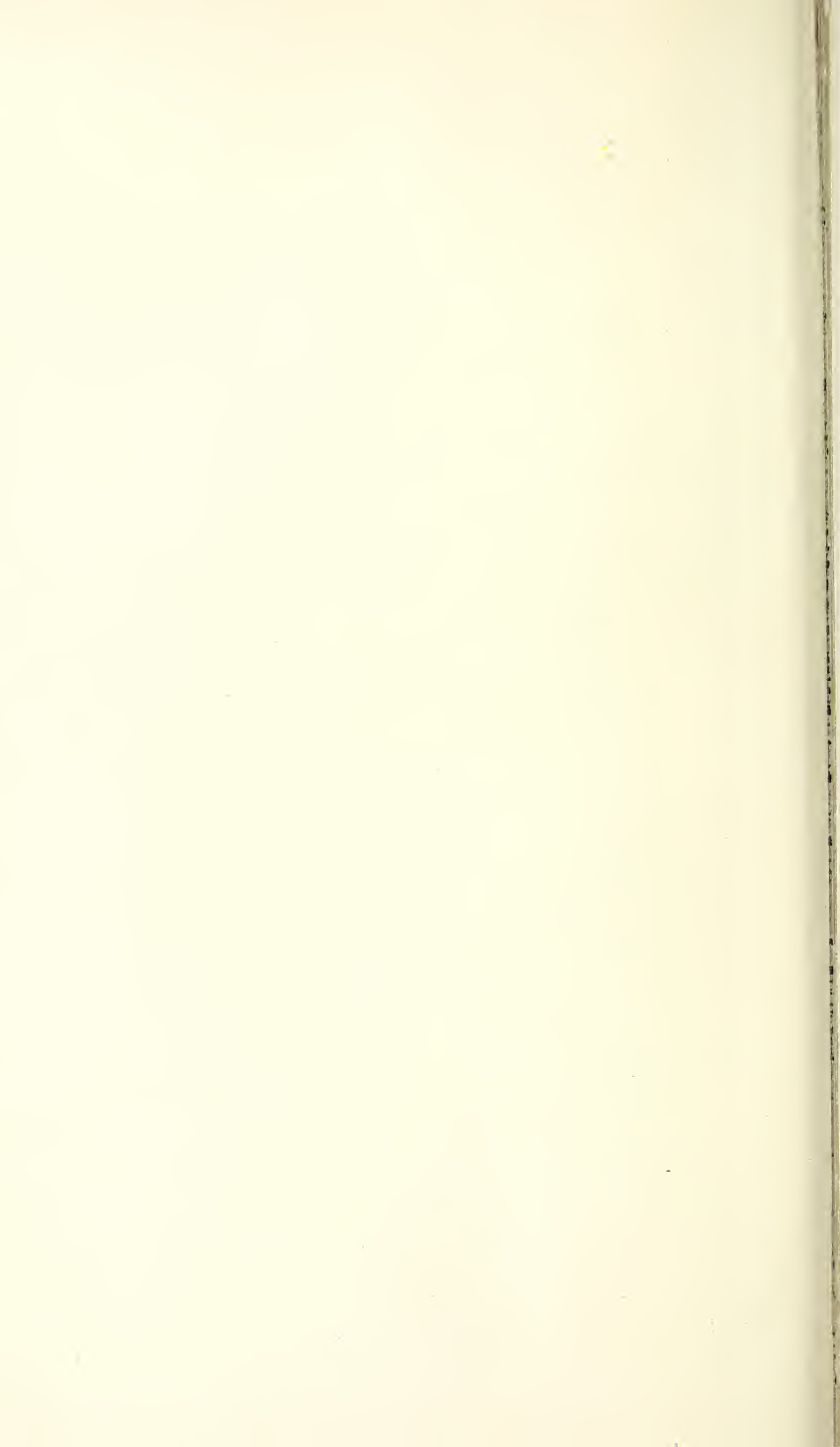
His Dr Daughter MARY LLOYD Buryed Here July 1722."

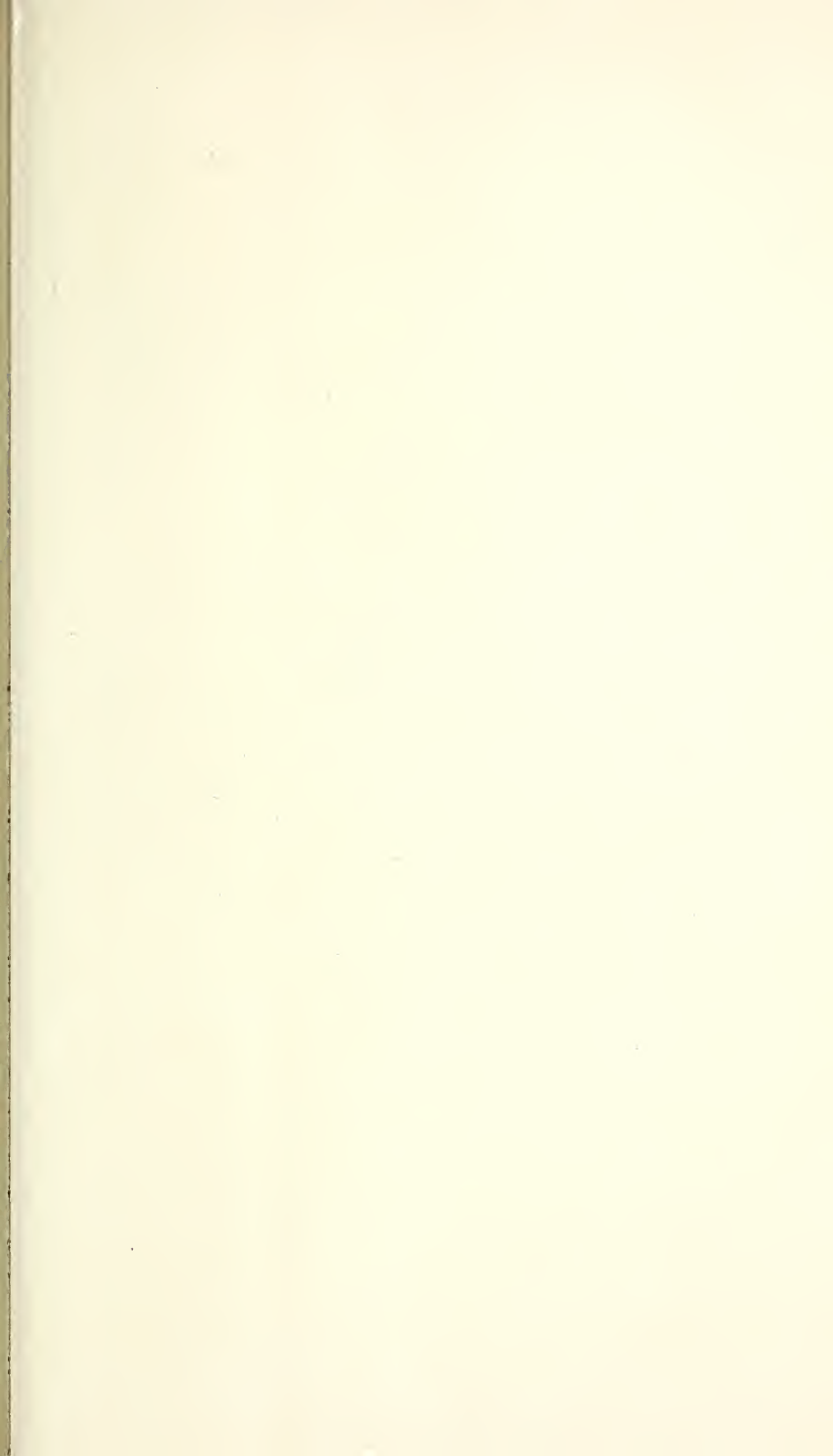
'These are a branch of the Clanwilliam Burkes; they called themselves Burgh or De Burgh in the time of King Charles II.; a De Burgh still resides, and owns Dromkeen House.'

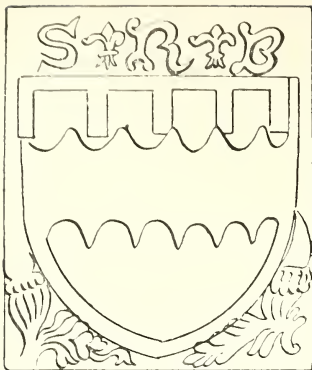


COVERING SLAB OF KING DONALD MORE O'BRIEN'S TOMB, LIMERICK CATHEDRAL.
DIED A.D. 1194.

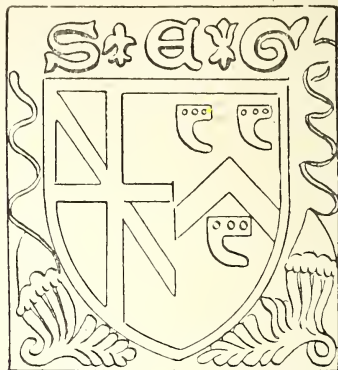
From a Rubbing by the Rev. J. H. Long, of Templemore, 1896.



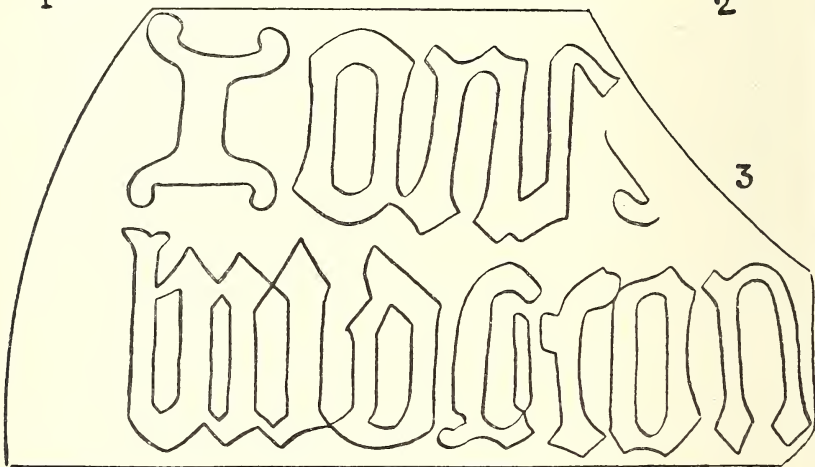




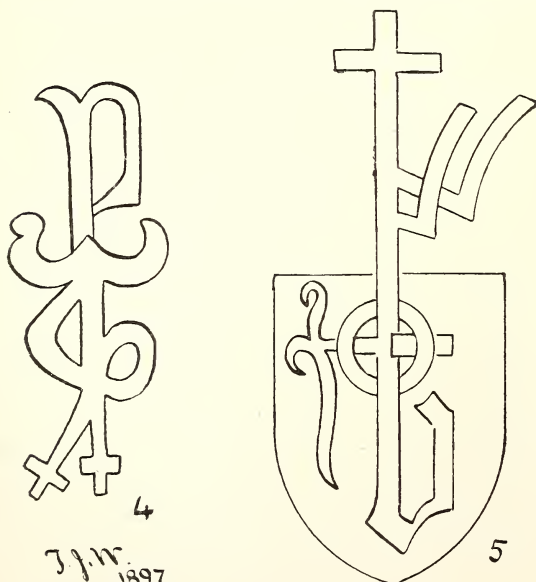
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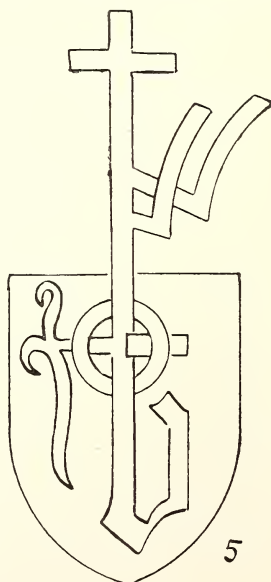


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St. Mary's Cathedral.

[From Thomas J. Westropp, Esq., 1897.]

‘South transept’ :—

‘Figs. 1 and 2 are shields from the fine canopied tomb of **RICHARD BULTINGFORT** and **GEFFREY GALWEY**, erected by **EDMUND**, son of the latter, and **MARGARET BULTINGFORT** his wife, *circa* 1450.

‘**S. R. B.** = **Scutum RICARDI BULTINGFORT**; he was Mayor of Limerick six times from 1367, and died 1405–6. A sketch of his life and abstract of his Will was read before the Royal Society of Antiquaries, Ireland, January, 1897, and is likely to be published at no distant date.

‘**S. E. G.** = **Scutum EDMUNDI GALWEY**, and displays his arms and those of his wife, a member of the ancient city family of **ARTURE**, now represented by the family of **ARTHUR** of Glenomra, Co. Clare.

‘Fig. 3. The name of **JOHN BUDSTON**, a prominent citizen of Limerick in the reigns of Edward III. and Richard II. He gave a peal of bells to Limerick Cathedral in 1401, and to his restorations of parts of the building about that time may be attributed the fine triple arched sedile, next the Galwey tomb in the south transept, on which his name is carved.

‘Figs. 4, 5 and 6 are initials and merchant marks from the same sedile. The central is probably **J. B.** (**BUDSTON**); the others may be of his wife, or some member of the **TROY** family.’

COUNTY LONDONDERRY.**Derry Cathedral.**

Over the monument in this cathedral to the memory of **ADAM SCHOALES**, Esq. (described in vol. iii., p. 316), the following Arms are to be seen :—

‘A lion betw. three swords erect, for **SCHOALES**, impaling a fess betw. three cocks’ heads erased, for **ALCOCK**.’

‘EXTRACTS FROM DERRY CATHEDRAL REGISTERS.’

‘BAPTIZED.’

- “25 Nov., 1730—**HENERY**, the son of the Rev. Mr. **GEORGE ALLCOCK**, and **MARY** [**DOWNES**] his wife.
- “21 March, 1734—**JOHN**, the son of the Rev. Mr. **GEORGE ALLCOCK**, and **MARY** his wife. [This is John Allcock, afterwards LL.D., Archdeacon and V. G. of Raphoe.]
- “6 Aug., 1733—**ALEXANDER**, the son of the Rev. **GEORGE ALLCOCK**, and **MARY** his wife.
- “29 July, 1737—**MARTHA**, the daughter of the Rev. **GEORGE ALLCOCK**, and **MARY** his wife.”

‘BURIED.’

“7 Jan., 173⁶—HENERY, the son of GEORGE ALLCOCK, and MARY his wife.

“22 Oct., 1750—Miss MARY ALLCOCK.”

‘MARRIED.’

“8 Feb., 1750—By Dean Smith, Mr. JAMES KNOX and Miss ANNE ALLCOCK.”

We have to thank the Rev. J. H. Steele for these notes.

COUNTY LONGFORD.

Nil.

COUNTY LOUTH.

Ardee.

[From W. Tempest, Esq., Dundalk.]

“HERE UNDER LYETH THE BODY OF IOHN SMART, MERCHANT, OF ATHERDEE, WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE ON THE 25TH DAY OF OCTOBER ANNO DOMINE 1686.”

Carlingford.

[From the “Handbook” published by Greer, Curry, Lamont, &c., in 1846.]

‘Contiguous to the old abbey is a spacious and handsome modern church erected upon the site of an ancient religious edifice, the tower of which, being in good preservation, serves as a steeple to the present building.

‘It is surrounded by a remarkably green graveyard, well stocked with old oaks and spreading sycamores, in which there is a curious carved stone, and several monuments of the families of Moore and Millar.

‘Formerly, a large bell of ancient Irish workmanship, with a peculiarly mellow and sonorous tone, and which it is said belonged to the old abbey, was in this church; but a former rector sold it for a very large sum of money to the people of Liverpool, in a church in which town it is still tolled.

‘The monastery was founded in 1308 by Richard de Burgh, Earl of Ulster, under the invocation of St. Malachi; and when the above-named book was being written, this ancient monastery was “desecrated to the purposes of a ball-alley, or tennis-court.”’

This is another of the many cases in which the sacred ruins of churches are converted into places of recreation, and not only of recreation, but too frequently of uproar, quarrelling, intoxication, and profane language, which neither the Protestant Rector nor the Roman Catholic priest prevent.

COUNTY MAYO.

Like Cavan, Kerry, Leitrim, Longford, Monaghan, and Sligo, nothing has been received by us from this county. It seems strange that there is not one person within the bounds of these counties who cares to have put on record the Memorials of the Dead, and so help to have them preserved for future generations.—[ED.]

COUNTY MEATH.

Clongill Old Churchyard, near Kells [Donaghpatrick].

[From the late G. V. Du Noyer's Notes.]

‘THE TRYNCH TOMB.’

‘In the month of August, 1865, I lighted on this quaint and interesting tomb-slab, and on announcing the discovery to the Rev. Dr. Brady, he kindly informed me that it was commemorative of the death of the ancestor of the Clancarty family.

‘The shield bears in chief, a lion passant, and the sun in splendour over it. The lower portion of the shield is parted per pale, the dexter side being semè with Tudor roses, and the sinister filled with the emblems of St. Joseph's trade,—the saw, the chisel, the hammer, bit and brace, and square. The legend is as follows’ :—

“HIC · IACET · IOCOBVS · (*sic*) TRY | NCHE ·
CLERICUS · RECTOR · QV | ONDAM · HVIVS ·
ECCLESIAE · DE · CLON | GELL · EX · ILLVSTRI ·
ET · INVIC | TO · SCOTINO · GENTE · NATVS ·
CVM · SEX · LIBERIS · QVI · HANC | VITAM ·
PEREGIT · DECIMO · TERTIO · DIE · MENSIS ·
MARTII · ANNO · DOMINI · 1631.”

Under the shield is written :—

“ MARGRETA · MONTGOMRI | VXSOR ·
DEFVNCTI · ET · MA | TER · PREDICTORUM ·
SEX | LIBERORVM · HOC · FECIT · | · · · · ·
CONDERE.”

Below this again is a shield without arms, and next it a death's head and crossed bones.

The above Thomas Trynch (Du Noyer says), was the ancestor of the Clancarty family.

TRANSLATION.

“ Here lies JAMES TRYNCH, clerk, Rector some time of this Church of Clongell, born of an illustrious and unconquered Scottish family, with six children, who finished this life on the 13 day of March 1631. MARGARET MONTGOMERI, wife of the deceased and Mother of the abovenamed six children caused [Blank] to erect this.”

This tomb, long grass-grown and neglected, has recently been restored by Mr. J. Cooke Trench of Millicent, County Kildare.

(See Plate on opposite page, for which we are indebted to J. Cooke Trench, Esq.)

ANTIQUITIES AT TREVET.

[From the Rev. Henry W. Davidson.]

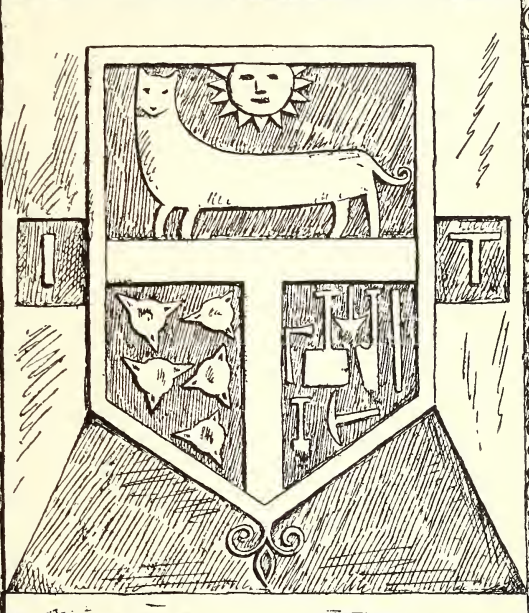
‘ The church stands on a high knoll beside the road. On the north side of the churchyard there is a rath. The north and south walls of the church are still standing, in some places to the height of 10 feet ; the latter has three windows in it. Of the west wall all that remains is a heap of rubbish with elder trees growing upon it.

‘ On entering at north door one finds a tombstone inscribed, “ Patrick Sherlock 1785 ” ; another “ John Ball 1716 ” ; and another in memory of “ M. ROBERT IEALLOVS 1725 ” [FEALLOVS ?]

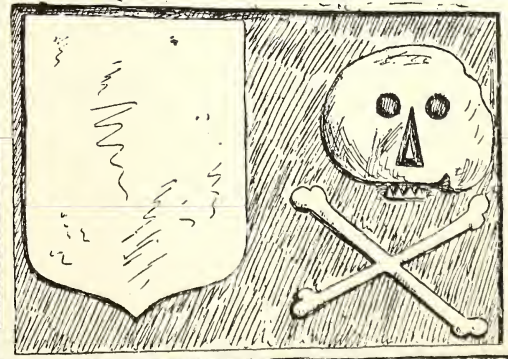
‘ Further on, on south side of nave, is a large square tomb, on the covering slab of which is a crest with mantling and a coat-of-arms, but no inscription legible. The crest seems to be a leopard passant upon a helmet facing to dexter.

‘ At the east end there is a fine carved slab, probably the side of a raised altar-tomb. On it is represented a family group consisting of a gentleman and his wife, dressed after the fashion of the time of Queen Elizabeth or James I., kneeling on each side of a table upon which rests an open book.

HIC IACET IOHANNES TRIVITAM PEREGIT DECIMO TERTIO DIE MENSIS MARTII ANNO DOMINI 1671



MARGRETA MONTGOMRI VXSOR DEFUNCTI ET MATR PREDICTORVM SEX LIBERORVM HOC FECIT CONDERE



TO SCOTINO GENTE NATVS CVM SEX LIBERIS QVI HANC

CH CLERICVS RECTOR PAROCHIAE NDAM HVI SECELESIA DE CLON

GELHEXILLVS TRIST INVIC

Behind the knight are kneeling his five sons with joined hands ; behind them again is a large figure (indistinct). Behind the dame her seven daughters kneel. Over their heads are four arches with corbels ; grotesque faces are carved in spaces between the crowns of the arches. Below this slab lies another, on which are carved a number of shields, the bearings well preserved, but the inscription, if any, is covered by the upper slab.'

Newstown Abbey, Trim.

'A sketch is given by Du Noyer, 1845, of the tomb of'

"SIMON ROCHFORD, BISHOP, 1218."

COUNTY MONAGHAN.

We have received no information from this county.

QUEEN'S COUNTY.

Arles Parish—Grange Burial-ground.

(Continued from vol. iii., p. 131.)

[From Mr. C. J. Hobson.]



I.H.S.

"Here lieth y^e body of PATRICK DOWLING dep^d May y^e 18th 1766 Aged 77 years May he rest in peace Amen.

Here also lie the body of his son DENIS DOWLING who departed this life august 24 1813 aged 66 years may he rest in peace Amen.

Erected by DENNIS DOWLING son to s^d deceased."

[Headstone.]

I. H. S.

"This stone was erected by THOMAS | KENNA of Burtown for himself and his | Posterity, Here lieth the body of his son | PATRICK KENNA who departed this life | the 17th day of November 1785 Aged | 17 years. The Lord have mercy on ; his Soul Amen also his son THOMAS | KENNA who departed this life | Feb. the 20th 1795 aged 16 years | Here lie

also interred the body of | The above THOMAS KENNA who
depd. | this life on the 17th day of January 1813 | in
the 97th year of his age.
Lord have mercy on his soul Amen."

'The above inscription is copied from a headstone, now lying upon a grave where it has fallen.'

"Erected by THOMAS COFFEY of Athy | in memory of his
wife MARY COFFEY | alis DOWLING who depd. this life the
30th | October 1828 aged 64 years."

"Erected to the memory of | MICHAEL DEMPSEY of Jerusalem |
who died 23rd Oct. 1850 aged 62 years | of his wife DORAH
DEMPSEY | who died 28th of Jany. 1860 aged 60 years |
and of their son MICHAEL | who died 25th Nov. 1867
aged 24 years."

[Small headstone.]

'On the base of a Celtic cross about the centre of this burying-ground, there is the following inscription':—

"In memory of MICHAEL and CATHARINE ROONEY Their
children PETER, JAMES, PATRICK, MICHAEL, and THOMAS
and their grandson JAMES COMMERFORD who died 17th
April 1865 aged 23 years."

"Here rest the remains of THOS. KENNA | of Fox Hill who
departed this life | the 26th day of March 1814 | aged 49.
Requiscat in Pace."

[Upright stone.]

I.H.S.

"Erected by CATHERINE in memory of her husband Mr. JOHN
SIMMONS of Arles who departed this life June the 7th 1821
aged 53 years."

'In an angle formed by the wall surrounding the Hartpol burial plot and the wall surrounding this whole burial ground, the following inscription is on a tablet. This plot is enclosed by a wall, and has an entrance gate quite separate from the rest of the burial ground':—

"Here lie the remains of Mr. JOHN DOWLING late of Graigue
Carlow who depd. this life on the 25th of Oct. 1825 aged
76 years. Also here are interred the Remains of Mrs.
MARY ANNE DOWLING who departed this life the 24th
June 1836. Lord have mercy on their Souls."

Killaban Parish, Diocese of Leighlin.*(Continued from vol. iii., page 134.)*

“Family Burying Ground of WM EDGE (late) of Tolerton.
To the Memory of ANNE The beloved Wife of GEORGE EDGE
Esqr. Who departed this life 11th June 1851 Aged 70 years.”

“Family Burying Ground of JOHN EDGE Esq. (late) of Crettyard.
Erected by ANN HASKINS of Coon in memory of her beloved
Husband HENRY HASKINS who depd. this life Oct. 21st 1859
Aged 50 years.
Also his father JOHN HASKINS who depd. this life Septr. 28th
1856 aged 74 yrs.
Also his mother MARY HASKINS died May 13th 1847
Aged 70 yrs.”

“Sacred to the memory of WILLIAM HASKINS died January
1860 aged 53 years.
Also his Wife MARY HASKINS died 12th May 1892 aged
61 yrs.
Also their Daughter ELIZABETH died 9th June 1855 aged
11 mos.
This Tribute is erected by their affectionate Daughters ANN
WILSON and ELEANOR HASKINS.”

“Sacred to the memory of ESTHER ANN the beloved Wife
of SAMUEL EDGE M.D. Died at Fairymount on 23rd Decr.
1843 Aged 19 yrs. And her infant Son Aged 7 days.
Also her Son GEORGE VALENTINE died 28th Oct. 1848
aged 6 yrs. 2nd Tim. 3, 15.”

“Erected by JAMES TUNSTED Tolerton In Memory of his
beloved Parents. MARIA TUNSTED who died 14th April 1881
Aged 42 years. GEORGE TUNSTED died 2nd May 1881
Aged 45 yrs. 1st Cor. 15, 55.”

‘Interior of Church’ —

“Sacred to the Memory of ELLEN and FRANCES The beloved
Daughters of HOVENDEN and HENRIETTA STAPLETON
whose Remains are deposited in an adjoining Vault.* They
were taken from their afflicted Parents within 7 weeks of
each other. ELLEN died 11th Oct. 1828 in the 18th year
of her age, and FRANCES on 14th Decr. following aged 17 yrs.

* ‘The vault alluded to has an inscription, but is too over-grown with ivy, &c. It was opened for one of the family about 30 years ago. This family seems to be extinct.’

“ Blame not the monumental stone we raise
 Tis to the Saviour's not the creature's praise
 Sin was the whole that they could call their own
 Their goodness all derived from him alone
 To sin their conflicts pains and griefs they owed
 Their conquering faith and patience he bestowed
 Reader! may'st thou obtain like precious faith
 To smile in anguish and rejoice in death.
 This Tribute is erected by their Affectionate Father.”

“ In affectionate remembrance of GEORGE EDGE Lieut. in 11th
 Regt. Eldest and dearly loved Son of WILLIAM and MARIA
 EDGE of Tolerton Who died at Queenstown on the 8th Feb.
 1864, aged 25 yrs.

‘ Tho’ thou hast called me to resign
 What most I prized it ne’er was mine
 I have but yielded what was thine
 Thy will be done.’

This Tablet is erected by his fond Father and Mother.”

‘ Memorial window (East) ’:—

“ Gethsemane.”

“ Thy will be done.”

“ In Memory of ANN wife of SAML. R. CARTER, C.E.,
 Died Feb. 17th, 1892. This Window is erected by her
 affectionate Husband and Loving Children.”

“ In Memory of WILLIAM CARTER of Monawee in this Co.,
 Esquire, who died May 18th, 1866 aged 58 years. He
 was eldest son of late Staff Surgeon HENRY COLLES CARTER,
 M.D., M.A., and CHARLOTTE, daughter of JOSEPH NEYNO,
 Esq., C.B., Capt. R.N., and Sister of Colonel W. BRYDGES
 NEYNO, C.B., Commanding 27th Inniskilling Regt., of
 Castle Neyno, Co. Sligo.—John 11, 25.

‘ Fortis Cadit sed non cedit.’ ”

COUNTY ROSCOMMON.

Athleague Parish.

[From T. A. Kelly, Esq., Dublin.]

‘ A stone bears the following inscription in raised (or embossed letters).
 It is surmounted by a crest, and all the lettering contained or recorded
 upon this stone is most perfect, with the exception of the letters on the
 scroll work under the crest, all of which are completely gone except a few.

The dog surmounting the crest is damaged, being deprived of the tail and right leg, but from the form remaining I am inclined to believe the animal appeared in the original in *full stretch* :—

“Pray for the Soul of M. WILLIAM KELLY who departed this life the 15th day of Nover. 1760. & for the soul of M. REDDIS KELLY who departed this life the 20th day of February 1759. This stone was erected in their memory by their son M. EDWARD KELLY, Buckfield.”

St. Peter's, Athlone.

‘This parish lies on the western side of the Shannon, and contains part of the present town of Athlone, the remainder of which is on the E. side of the river in the County Westmeath and Province of Leinster.

‘The ancient abbey from which this parish derives its name, “Mason” says, stood in the town near the bank of the river, and was founded in 1214. On part of the site of this abbey the present parish church, built in 1804, now stands; “scarcely a vestige of the old abbey remains.” The abbey was called “The Monastery de Innocentia.”’

‘LIST OF INCUMBENTS FROM THE FIRST FRUITS’ RECORDS.’

‘1615. Vicaria Sancti Petri de Athlone, JOHANNES ANCKERS, artium magister et pdicator curatos in ea parte quae est in comitatu. The small tythes go with the house of Athlone.

‘EDRUS WALLIN, presbiter possidet vicaream sti. Petri de Athlone not in tax.’

‘The present church was built in 1874, and cost £800. The Rev. Annesley Streat was Rector in 1802 to 1830, or later.’

COUNTY SLIGO.

Nothing has been received from this county.

COUNTY TIPPERARY.

Templemore Parish.

‘EPITAPHS IN THE ANCIENT CHURCHYARD, &c.’

‘In the chancel, beginning at N.E. corner’ :—

‘The Prior’s tomb, dated 16–32. There is no doubt that the space between the 6 and the 3 was left by the stonemason on account of a flaw in the stone. Anno () precedes the 1632, the month apparently not being mentioned.’

“Erected by KINSHELLA of Drom in memory of his brother CORNELIUS KINSHELLA, who departed this life Oct. 8th, 1838, aged 26 yrs.”

“Here lies the body of CORNELIUS CAHILL, late of Rat [buried] who departed 12 of Feb. [buried] &c.”

“Erected by PHILIP MEAGHER of Polough, in memory of his wife CATHARINE MEAGHER alias DOWLING, who died Sepr. 10th, 1856, aged 43 yrs.”

“Erected by WILLIAM MAHER of Polough, in memory of his son THOMAS MAHER, who died July 9th, 1831, aged 24 yrs. Here also lie the remains of the above WILLIAM MAHER, who died July 13th, 1834, aged 67 yrs.”

“Erected by JOHN DWYER in memory of his father DENIS DWYER, of Forrest, who departed May 3, 1825, aged 97 years. Also his mother JULIAN DWYER alias BRYAN, who departed Nov. 7, 1830, aged 86 yrs.”

“ERECTED by MICHAEL CARROL of Templemore, in memory of his dearly beloved son WILLIAM CARROL, who departed this life March the 9th, 1832, aged 23 yrs.”

“REMEMBER me as you pass by
As you are now once was I
As I am now so will you be
Think of death and pray for me.”

[On a hard gritstone flag.]

“Here lie the remains of RODGER RYAN of Templemore who departed this life June the 2nd, 1816, aged 63 years. Also his wife MARGARET RYAN alias O'MAHER of Templemore who died Dec. 25th, 1832, aged 76 years. R.I.P. Of WILLIAM RYAN their sixth son who died August 21st 1865, aged 68 years. JOHN RYAN, eldest son of RODGER RYAN, died 24th August, 1861, aged 83 years. MARY, wife of JOHN RYAN, died May 15th, 1856, aged 80 years. WILLIAM RYAN erected this tomb stone over his parents.”

‘On the north side of a large oblong urn, which surmounts an altar tomb’ :—

"THIS monument was erected by DENIS RYAN, of Templemore, architect, to commemorate his deeply beloved wife MARY RYAN alias SWEENEY, who departed this life 2nd Dec., 1825, in the 39th year of her age."

[A eulogy.]

'On the south side of the urn':—

"Beneath are deposited the mortal remains of DENIS RYAN of Templemore architect who departed this life the 14th Nov. 1832 aged 49 years R.I.P.A."

"Here lies the body of DANIEL SWEENEY who departed this March 15, 1771 aged 56."

"Erected by JOHN MAHER in memory of his father JAMES MAHER of College Hill who departed this life March 4th 1833 aged 75 years."

'There are two low modern altar tombs covered with stones, old coffins, &c.

"Here lies the Body of ELIZABETH MACKEY alias FOGARTY who departed this life Dec. the 14th 1765 aged 32 yrs. Erected by PATRICK MAHER."

"This stone was erected by PATRICK FOGARTY of Aughall in memory of his wife HONORO FOGARTY alias STAPLETON who departed the life the 1st day of April 1819 in the 34th year of her age, also his mother JUDITH STAPLETON who departed this life Nov. 26th 1777 aged 53 yrs."

'The other 4 or 5 in this chancel I have already mentioned. In the open graveyard beginning N.E. corner, is an altar-stone enclosed by iron paling':—

"Erected by FRANCIS O'MULLANE of Templemore in memory of his father JERAMIAH O'MULLANE who died 3rd Dec. 1853 aged 45 yrs. also his wife MARIA O'MULLANE died Oct. 25th 1851 aged 40 yrs. and ELLEN O'MULLANE their daughter died Oct. 20th 1852 aged 13 yrs. also his uncle FRANCIS WHITFORD died March 10th 1859 aged 98 years and their daughter ANNE JANE O'MULLANE who died August 16th 1882 aged 34 yrs."

'Lying on the ground a curious soft limestone vessel, in general outline like the section of a fluted pillar with a trough at each end; the troughs are connected by a hole in the centre; one side of the vessel—almost half of the stone—is broken away.'

"Here lies the Body of THOMAS SCARLAND who died December 1st 1755 aged 49 yrs. Erected by JOHANNA LEAMY in memory of her father PATRICK LEAMY who died Nov. 14th 1853 aged 40 years and her deceased friends. Sacred to the memory of JOHN CASEY of Templemore who died 8th June 1869 aged 72 years also his son MARTIN died Janry. 1860 aged 28 yrs. erected by his sons."

"Here lyeth the Body of MARY BUTLER, who departed this life October 21, 1772, Ag [buried]."

"Here lyeth the body of DENNIS COSTELLO who departed this life January 5, 1750 [buried]."

"O God have mercy on the Soul of JAMES DOUSY who departed this life 30th Sept., 1801, aged 47 years."

"Erected by PATRICK REARDON in memory of his son CALLAHAN, 1817."

"Here lieth the body of JAMES BURK who died May 24th, 1785, aged 30 years, and his son JOHN BURK who died Oct. 1st, 1799, aged 30 years."

'On top, symbols':—

"O God have mercy on the Soul of DANIEL DOLOHANTY, who departed this life Jan. 9th, 1800, aged 74 yrs., also his wife ANNE SCOT, Nov. 15, 1800, aged 68 years."

"Here lieth the body of PATRICK LANNAGAN late of Ivyhawk, who departed this life Dec. 21, 1799, aged 34 years. Also his brother TIMOTHY LANNAGAN who departed this life March 10, 1807, age 30 years."

"Erected by MARGT. LANIGAN in memory of her dearly beloved husband JAMES LANIGAN, of Balieheen, who departed this life the 27th day of Sepr. in the year of our Lord 1822, in the 62nd year of his age.—A eulogy. Here also lies the body of RODY LANIGAN who departed this life Decr. the 26th, 1836, aged 39."

"Here lieth the body of MICHAEL LANAGAN late of Ivyhal, who departed this life 18 Dec., 1796, aged 74. Also his wife ANN QUINN, Jan. 6, 1780, aged 60."

“ Here lieth the body of CATHARINE LANAGAN who departed this life Jan. 21, 1777, aged 24 years. Here lieth the body of WILLIAM MEAGHER who died 1775, aged 60 yrs.”

‘ A small upright stone, with a cross inscribed thus ’:—



‘ No writing.’

“ Here lieth the body of WILLIAM FOGARTY of Aughall who died June 2nd 1813 aged 82 yrs. also his wife MARY HARRINGTON who died Feb. 1st 1809 aged 66 yrs.”

“ Here lieth the body of JOHN WILLINGTON Esq. of Killoskehan who departed this life the 11th of Janry. 1767 aged sixty seven years. Here lieth the body of JOHN WILLINGTON Esq., Barrister at Law who departed this life at Worcester in England on the 14th of Jany. 1791 aged 55 years.”

“ Underneath this stone erected by his affectionate mother lies the Remains of her beloved son RODERICK WILLINGTON who departed this life with the cheering hope thro’ the intercession of his Saviour of a Blessed immortality the 7th of Augt. 1825 born 30 May 1800.”

[Altar stone.]

‘ An altar tomb ’:—

“ Here are deposited the remains of JOHN WILLINGTON, Esqr., of Castle Willington, Co. Tipperary, who departed this life February, 1819, aged 64 years. Also within this tomb is placed the remains of his beloved wife JANE WILLINGTON, who departed this life 18th Oct., 1830, aged 63 years.”

“ Here lies the Body of JONATHAN WILLINGTON, Esq., of Killoskehan, who departed this life the 9th of June, 1761, aged 59 years.”

[An altar stone.]

“ Here lies the body of DANIEL DOLOHANTY who departed this life Sept. 29th, 1799, aged 63 years.”

‘ Against west side of south door of church ’:—

“ This stone is to mark the spot where lieth JOHN, the child of WILLIAM MEAGHER, of Jockeyhall, died 3rd of Dec., 1828, aged 5 years.”

"Erected by ANNE KENNEY in memory of her husband PATRICK KENNEY, late of Templemore, who died Nov. 20 1839 aged 78 years."

Old Church, Templemore.

'The tombs are all of the altar style and in ordinary characters in the Willington enclosure. The enclosure is attached to the E. wall of the church and S. wall of the Carden enclosure.'

Eccl. ii. 1.

"Here lies the remains of JOHN WILLINGTON Esq. of Killooskehan who departed this life April 15th 1835 aged 65 years."

"To the memory of MAJOR JONATHAN WILLINGTON who died Nov. 20th 1835 aged 62 years."

"Here lies the remains of Mrs. BRIDGET WILLINGTON who departed this life the 22nd day of Febr'y. 1858 aged 83 years. As a small tribute of gratitude to the best of parents."

"JANE ANNE E. WILLINGTON of Killooskehan departed this life on the 17th of May 1812 aged 24. By grace through faith in Jesus Christ she was enabled," &c. [John ii. 24.]

"Sacred to the memory of BRIDGET wife of the HONBLE CHARLES JOSEPH KELLY MONCK of Belleville, and daughter of JOHN WILLINGTON of Killooskehan who departed this life the 22nd day of January 1843 aged 53 years. Also Sacred to the memory of her husband CHA : JO : KELLY VISCOUNT MONCK who died Ap. 20 1849 aged 58 years."

"To the memory of GEORGE BENNET Esq. of Bellville who departed this life on the 23rd day of Oct. 1817 in the 69th year of his age. This stone is erected by his wife MARY BENNETT."

"To the memory of MARY BENNETT relique (*sic*) of GEORGE BENNETT and eldest daughter of the late JOHN WILLINGTON of Killooskehan who departed this life the 28th day of Dec. 1823 aged 56 years."

"Here lie the Remains of ORMSBY WILLINGTON Esq of Killooskehan and formerly a Lieutenant in the 4th Highlanders who departed this life upon the 8th of March 1855 aged 38 years. Sincerely and most deeply regretted." [John vi. 25, 26 ; Job xix. 25, 26.]

“ Sacred to the memory of ANNE LYDIA the beloved wife of THEOBALD WILLINGTON who died 21st day of Dec. 1847 aged 54 years. Also to his two sons WILLIAM who died Aug. 30th 1839 aged 8 years; and JOHN who died Aug. 15th 1845 aged 16 years.”

“ Sacred to the memory of THEOBALD BUTLER WILLINGTON Esq. of Richmond House son of JOHN WILLINGTON Esq. of Killoskehan in this County who died the 10th of Aug 1858 aged 67 years. Also to the memory of his son JONATHAN JAMES who died the 2nd of Oct. 1855 aged 20 years.” [1 John i. 7; Ps. lxii. 7.]

“ Here lies the body of Mrs. ALICE WILLINGTON wife of JOHN WILLINGTON Esq. of Killoskehane who departed this life June 28th 1783 aged 34 years.
Here also lies the Body of JOHN WILLINGTON Esq. Husband of ALICE who departed this life June 4th 1812 aged 72 years.”

‘ The following are either in or close to the eastern side of the wall dividing the most recently used portion of the church from the most ruined part ’:—

“ MARY FLAVEN alias MACKEY died Sep. 26th 1770 aged 21 years.”

“ JAMES MACKEY ” [the rest is buried].

“ Underneath are deposited the remains of the Rev. PATRICK MACKEY late Coadjutor of Fethard who in the discharge of his ministry caught a fever of which he died on the 17th of Dec. aged 30 years.” [Here follows a eulogy.]

[An altar tomb.]

‘ In the wall above ’:—

“ JOHN MACKEY of College Hill died March 20th 1801 aged 60 years.”

‘ Headstone at top, E. end ’:—

“ PATRICK MACKEY of the Cops died May 7th 1800 aged 60 years.

His son PATRICK died July 30th 1831 aged 33 years.”

“PHILIP MAHER of Polough died January 15th 1827 aged 67 years.

His son ANTHONY MAHER died January 8th 1827 aged 27 years.

Erected by JAMES MAHER of Polough who died June 4th 1850 aged 54 years.

Also his brother PATRICK MAHER died April 7th 1855 aged 63 years.”

“JAMES MACKEY of College Hill died 1831 aged 59 years his wife JOHANNA MACKEY alias MULALLY died Sep. 8th 1834 aged 53 years, their son WILLIAM died March 20th 1835 aged 11 years.”

Tipperary Parish.

[Kindly contributed by R. Southcote Mansergh, Esq., 1897.]

“Here lyes the body of JAMES SOUTHCOTE son of NICHOLAS SOUTHCOTE of Greenane who was born the 20th day of March 1685 and dyed the 2nd day of January 1703.

Here lyes the body of MANSERGH SOUTHCOTE who was born the 2nd day of October 1700 and dyed the 28th day of March 1710.”

The above inscription is on a slab covering the entrance to the Greenane vault in the churchyard.

The letters are raised, and are as sharp and clean as if cut only last year.

The Rev. Denis Hanan, D.D., informs us that this vault was built by the Southcotes of Greenane, and that the late Mr. Mansergh built a spiral monument over the vault.

The Rev. Doctor Hanan, Rector of Tipperary, sends us the following additional information, for which we beg to thank him :—

‘There is an altar-tomb where the MOORES of Mooresfort buried. The inscription is defaced, and the tomb seems to have been changed to a north and south position when the walk through the churchyard was made. (Family extinct.)

‘There is also an old grave where the KING family of Kingswell buried. An ash tree has split the stones in pieces. (Family extinct.)

‘There is a plain headstone inscribed’ :—

“Here Lyeth y^e Bod^y of CHRISTOPHER EMETT who Departed this life y^e 26th of August anno Dm. 1743 in y^e 41st year of his Age.”

‘Supposed to be an uncle of Robert Emmett.’

‘The churchyard is in a very untidy condition, and we cannot regulate the burials. Part of it is seriously overcrowded, but the Board of Guardians will not do anything.’

Tubbrid and Ardfinnan Parishes [union].

[From the Rev. C. T. M‘Cready, D.D., Dublin.]

‘These benefices are in the Diocese of Lismore ; they lie between the Galtee and the Knockmealdowu Mountains. The parishes above named were united in 1873.

TUBBRID.

‘This benefice consists of the parishes of Whitechurch, Tubbrid, and Ballybacon.

‘The present (modern) church is dedicated to St. John ; it is a fairly handsome building, both inside and out ; it contains a fireplace, with a striking chimneypiece bearing, with a coat-of-arms, the following inscription’ :—

“1729. JOHANNES HOADLY hanc Domum re fecit.

‘This inscription might lead one to suppose that the church had been erected by Archbishop Hoadly, were we not informed by the parochial records that the chimneypiece had been brought to Tubbrid Church from a former archiepiscopal residence at Tallaght, Co. Dublin.

‘The church contains mural slabs in memory of the Rev. HENRY PALMER, for 54 years Vicar of Tubbrid, who died 26th March, 1871, in his 90th year ; and in memory of his first wife MARIA (daughter of the Rt. Rev. JOSEPH STOCK, Bishop of Waterford), who died 31st January, 1826 [aged 40] ; and of his second wife MARY (daughter of a Mr. QUAYLE), who died 21st December, 1843, in the 50th year of her age.

‘There is also a mural slab erected by the Rev. HENRY PALMER, junr. (son of the above-mentioned HENRY PALMER by his first wife MARIA STOCK), in memory of his first wife ANNIE, who died 9th March, 1873 [aged 49].

‘The Rev. HENRY PALMER married secondly ESTHER PARKER.

THE GRAVEYARDS.

‘On the south side of the church is a very small burial-ground, in which are tombstones recording the interment of the following :—

'The Rev. HENRY PALMER, senior, and his two wives.

'The first wife of the Rev. HENRY PALMER, junior.

'The Rev. LESLIE BATTERSBY, D.D., Rector of Ardfinnan, who died 9th July, 1819.

The small graveyard reserved for the use of the parishioners attending the present parish church, is separated from the adjoining much larger burial-ground by a wall, which is said to have been originally the south wall of a former church, that was destroyed by fire, the present south wall of the church having been originally the north wall of the earlier church.

‘The outer graveyard, which is crowded, and largely used by Roman Catholics, contains the four walls of a ruined ancient church, of moderate size, the eastern and western walls of which are kept standing by an iron rod stretched between them.

‘ Into the outer face of the western wall of this ancient church is inserted a slab, bearing, in raised letters and in contracted Latin, an inscription to the effect that **GEOFFREY KEATING** was buried there ’ :—

I H S ✝ A N R

"ORATE PR° AIÃBS P. EUGENIJ : DUHY
VIC . DE TVBRUD ET D. DOCT . GALF :
KEATING HUIS SACELLI FUNDATORÛ :
NEC NÕ ET PRO AIBS ALIJSTÃ SACERD .
QUAM LAICIS QUORÛ CORPA IN EOD
JACET SA . A° DOÑI . 1644."

‘In the graveless churchyard used as an approach to the present modern church, stood formerly a blacksmith’s forge, which was very properly removed by the Rev. Henry Palmer, senr.

A little to the N.E. of St. John's Church, stands a building which is said to have been a school, once held under Erasmus Smith's Board, but which is now a cottier's residence. A stone in the front of the building bears the date "A.D. 1821." A little to the west of the church stands the parochial school-house, a small building in poor repair.

THE GLEBE AND GLEBE HOUSE.

‘ On the hill called “ Vicar’s Hill,” to the east of the church, stands the glebe-house, in a position commanding a very charming and extensive view of the surrounding country and mountains. It is said that seven counties can be seen from the tower in the garden.

'At the date of Disestablishment, the glebe contained 44 acres, 2 roods, and 20 perches, statute measure, but of this, 28 acres, 3 roods, and 24 perches were sold in 1879 to the Rev. Henry Palmer.

WHITECHURCH.

‘This parish lies north of Tubbrid, and extends to the ridge of the “Galtees”; it contains the ruins of Whitechurch Abbey.

BALLYBACON.

‘This parish is to the south of Tubbrid, and runs up to the very summit of the Knockmealdown Mountains (2,609 feet).

‘There is a ruined castle at Gortnacullin, and another near Newcastle. There are also within the parish the ruins of Lady’s Abbey, Ballybacon Church, and a church in the townland of Gormanstown.’

(To be continued.)

COUNTY TYRONE.

Parish of Caledon.

[From the Rev. Canon Armstrong.]

‘I send on the opposite leaf a copy of the Hamilton stone, which was in this churchyard, but now is in the porch. It took me three days to decipher, and there are three blanks—the first, I think, must have been “Captain,” but the letters are gone. The month of James’s death is beyond me, also his age. The scroll-work round the arms is so indistinct that it is beyond drawing, but scroll work it was’ :—

“HEIRE LYETH THE BODY OF
 WILLIAM HAMILTON
 WHO DIED IN MARCH 1674 AND
 MARGERY HAMILTON HIS
 WIFE WHO DYED IN IVLY 1674
 ALSO THE BODY OF CAPTⁿ
 JAMES HAMILTON AT LOUGH
 NAB SON TO THE ABOVE
 WILL^m & MARGERY WHO DIED
 1730 AGED. ”

‘This William Hamilton is said to have been at the battle of Benburb.

‘Between the initials at the head of this stone and the inscription, is a shield with the Hamilton arms and mantling.’

Parish of Clonfeacle.

BENBURB.

[From Mr. C. J. Hobson, Carlow.]

‘I enclose additional inscriptions from Benburb Churchyard. These monuments have been brought to light mainly through the efforts of Dr.

Browne, who got up a fund for the clearing of the churchyard from briars and weeds.

“ Hic Ia-et Reu IOH-KENNEDY F.U.D. Min
 Hac Parochar Per annos 50 [?] qui I-uasit
 22 iune 1761 Ætatis sue 77 mo [annos ?]
 Hic quoque Iacet THO— KENNEDY Filus
 Primo guenitus R.I.K. qui Den— 23tio Jul—
 1746 nat—
 —ts Anno.”

On top, over this inscription, are the crest, arms, and motto of KENNEDY ; and at foot, a crescent with a man's face (in profile) within it.

‘ About twenty yards from the south-eastern corner of the parish church, and near to that of the Rev. Alexander Moore, is the tombstone of the Rev. John Kennedy, having the Kennedy coat-of-arms.

‘ The inscription is in Latin, this being the only Latin inscription in this churchyard.

‘ The Rev. John Kennedy was 47 years minister of the Presbyterian Church adjacent to the village, having been ordained to the ministry on the 13th of July, 1714, so that his entire ministry was spent in this place.

‘ The inscription is now very hard to decipher, and some words and letters have disappeared.

‘ The above Rev. JOHN KENNEDY was son of Rev. THOMAS KENNEDY, of Carland, and nephew of GILBERT KENNEDY, of Dundonald. The Rev. THOMAS KENNEDY was ordained in 1696 [?], and died 1761. He was son of Col. GILBERT KENNEDY, of Ardmillan, in Ayrshire, and nephew of JOHN 6TH EARL OF CASSILLIS.’

“ HERE LYETH THE BODY OF THE REV MR
 ALEXANDER MOOR LATE MINISTER OF THE
 GOSPEL OF MUNTERBIRN* WHO DIED THE 8th DAY
 OF JVLY 1724 AGED 36 YEARS AS ALSO Y BODY OF
 MR WILLIAM MOOR SON TO Y REU ALEX
 MOOR WHO DEP THIS LIFE IJLY Y 4th 1727
 AGED 4 YEARS.”

‘ The Rev. Alexander Moor was minister of the Presbyterian congregation of Minterburn, distant about six miles from Benburb. His ordination

* ‘ MINTERBURN.’

took place on the 8th day of October, 1716. Until a few months ago, this tombstone was buried beneath the rubbish that had been allowed to accumulate.'

BODY

"HERE LIETH THE | OF NED HELL |
WHO DIED DECE | MBER 21 1761 | AGED 22 YEARS."

'The above inscription, copied from a small headstone about the centre of this churchyard, is rather unique, owing to the name of the deceased. Taking into consideration the way in which the two letters L are intentionally run into each other in his surname, I have no doubt that HILL was the name of the deceased. The word "body" was evidently omitted by the sculptor in the first line, and afterwards put above the word. No persons of this name are now known to live in the neighbourhood.'

"HERE LYETH THE BODY OF | MR WILLIAM
AG[N]EW OF | DYAN* WHO DEPARTED THIS |
LIFE IULY YE 7 1747 AGED | 82 ✕ ALSO Y^e BODY
OF LILLIAS AGNEW WIFE TO | WILLIAM
AGNEW WHO DIED | IVLY Y^e 4th 1754 AGED
86 B¹ | IAMES AGNEW SON OF THE | ABOVE
DIED MARCH 17 | 1732 AGED 35 LILLIAS |
CROZIE^R - DAVHTER OF Y^e | ABOVE DIED APRIL
29 | 1750 AGED 42."

'The above inscription is copied from a tombstone alongside that of Rev. Alex. Moor; both are of freestone. The inscriptions are well nigh unreadable.'

"THIS IS IOHN ANDERSON BURYING PLEA^s."

'This quaint inscription is copied from a small upright stone near the southern boundary of this cemetery. Representatives of this family still reside in the locality.'

From Castlecaulfield Church.

[Kindly sent by present Rector, Rev. Forde-Tichbourne.]

"Hic Jacet Reverendus RICARDUS VINCENT A.M. Hujus
Parochiae ab anno 1730 ad annum 1774 Rector irreprehensibilis
dignus laude praesentium et imitatione Posterorum. X
Valeas bone et fidelis minister Dei. Obiit A.D. 1774. Aetat 82."

* 'A little village five miles distant, well known almost throughout the world for its associations with the Orange Society.'

Desertereight Parish.

[From the Rev. John Richey, A.M., per Mrs. Long.]

"HIC JACET ALEXANDER

IN HIBERNIA JUSTITIARIUS PACIS ET TER VICECOMES

I COMMIT MY WORK TO GOD
FIDELIBUS MORS FELIX
LABORUM REQUIES

SANDERSON · IN SCOTIA NATUS · IN BELGIA MILES · IN POLONIA

[Death's Head ?]

OBIIT ANNO DOM

[Crossed bones.]

8 DAY

1633 DECEMBER."

EQUITUM PEDITUMQUE DUX

From Dungannon Church.

[Sent by Rev. R. Huggard.]

"HERE LYETH YE BODY OF M. PENELOPE KNOX
DAUGHTER TO THE R^T HONOURABLE THOMAS

KNOX OF DUNGANNON ESQ^r WHO DIED Y^e 12th DAY OF JUNE 1696 IN YE 7th YEAR OF HER AGE. ALSO THE BODY OF M^{rs} MARY ECHEIN (*sic*) GRANDCHILD TO THE SAID THOMAS KNOX WHO DIED THE 16th DAY OF NOVEMEER 1711 IN THE 1st YEAR OF HER AGE.

AND LIKEWISE THE BODY OF M^{rs} MARY KNOX, SPOUSE TO THE S^d THOMAS KNOX, WHO DIED THE 21 DAY OF OCTOBER 1717 AGED 66 YEARS. AND ALSO THE BODY OF M^{rs} DOROTHEA KNOX, DAUGHTER TO THE S^d THOMAS KNOX, WHO DIED THE 20th DAY OF (the rest is buried) (Ancestors of the present Earl of Ranfurly.”

From Donaghmore Graveyard.

“Erected by PROFESSOR O’NEILL Dundee 1878.

Erected to the memory of HUGH O’NEILL of the Red Hand of Ulster, created Earl of Tyrone by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth, and afterwards elected King of all Ireland by the Kings, Chiefs and Earls, and with the unanimous good will of the Common People of his country, Who died an exile at Rome on the 20th July 1616 aged 76 years. He was interred with the Rights (*sic*) and ceremonies of his creed and also the Pomp that hereditarily belonged to his noble name, and royal station in life.

And of his forefathers and descendants Who are interred here in Donaghmore County of Tyrone, Ireland. He had five sons, HUGH, HENRY, JOHN, BRIEN and CON.

Of

CON O’NEILL, fifth son of the King, Who died at Gortnagolly, Parish of Donaghmore, Tyrone, Ireland, on 16th March 1670 aged 65, and is interred here in Donaghmore. He had four sons born to him at Gortnagolly, Parish of Donaghmore, namely, FELIMY, HUGH, SHAN, and HENRY.

Of

FELIMY O’NEILL, Eldest son of CON, who departed this life on 15th August 1723 aged 51 years, and is interred here in Donaghmore. He had four sons born to him at Gortnagolly, namely HUGH, CON, SHAN and TURLOUGH.

Of

HUGH O’NEILL, eldest son of FELIMY, who departed this life on 15th Jany. 1760. Aged 65 years, and is interred here in Donaghmore. He had three sons born to him at Gortnagolly, namely TURLOUGH, SHAN, and CORMAC.

Of

TURLOUGH BACHA O'NEILL, eldest son of HUGH, who departed this life on 6th March 1817 and is interred here in Donaghmore. He had four sons born to him at Gortnagolly, namely CON SHAN-BUIE, known by the name of Yellow, or Stout, JOHN, FRANK and JAMES.

Of

CON O'NEILL eldest son of TURLOUGH BACHA, who departed this life at Altmore on 23rd December 1841, aged 51 years, and is interred here in Donaghmore. He had seven sons born to him at Gortindarragh, Parish of Donaghmore, County Tyrone, Ireland, namely TURLOUGH, JAMES, SHAN, CHARLES, CON, PATRICK and FRANCIS.

[Job i. 21 is here given at full length.]

The above is an exact copy of the family stone erected in Balgay Cemetery Erected by Professor P. O'NEILL, Dundee, eldest son of Shan Buie, or stout, or yellow, JOHN. To the memory of forefathers who are interred in Donaghmore, and to his father and mother in Dundee.

JOHN O'NEILL, or Shan Buie, known by the byname of Stout, the second son of TURLOUGH, born at Gortnagolly Parish of Donaghmore, Tyrone, Ireland, who departed this life on the 7th May 1857 aged 77 years, and is interred in the Constitution burying ground, Dundee, he had five sons, born at Gortindarragh and Altmore, Parish of Pomeroy, namely, PATRICK, TURLOUGH, SHAN, JAMES and FRANK. (At the top of the monument are the Red Hand and a coat-of-arms.)"

From Old Drumglass Churchyard, near Dungannon.

[From Mrs. A. Long, Dublin, 1897.]

I. H. S.

"This stone was erected to the memory of MICHAEL M'KAIN who departed this life 4th of December 1806 aged 30 years."

I. H. S.

"Here lyeth the body of ELANORA MARLOW who departed this life August 10th 1790 aged 59 years. Also the body of THOMAS MARLOWE who departed this life the 8th of February 1818 aged 34 years."

From Old Graveyard at Donaghmore.

"Here lyeth the body of PATRICK M'GEOUGH who departed ye life June ye 24 1758 aged 63. Here lyeth the Body of PATRICK M'GEOUGH who departed this life Sept. ye 10 1785 aged 23 years."

"Here lyeth the body of MARGARET M'GEOUGH alias MARTIN
Who departed this life June the 13th 1775 aged 42."

From Pomeroy Churchyard.

"In memory of Rev. RALPH DAWSON WALCH For 9 years
Incumbent of Altadesert, Pomeroy. He departed this life
14th of February 1869. Aged 45 years.
Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord."

"Here lie the mortal remains of the Rev. THOMAS TWIGG M.A.
Rector of the Parish of Pomeroy who died the 30th of
October 1872 aged 86 years. Also of SARAH his wife who
died 4th of July 1859, Aged 65 years. Also of BARBARA
TWIGG sister of the Rev. THOMAS TWIGG who died 28th
March 1870 aged 80 years."

COUNTY WATERFORD.

Faithlegg Church.

[From C. Perceval Bolton, J.P.]

'This small church, in ruins, which is about 5 miles from Waterford, and a mile and a-half from the village of Bolton or Cheekpoint, stands on the property held by the Aylward family from the time of King John, until Cromwell took it from them and gave it to Captain William Bolton, an officer in his army.

'Within the church are seven large flagstones, three of which cover the vault at the west end of the church. The following are the inscriptions':—

'1st stone':—

"Under this stone are deposited the remains of CORNS. BOLTON of Faithlegg Esqr. who departed this life Sepr. 1779 aged 65 years. Also of ELIZABETH his wife who departed this life May 1777 aged 54 years. Also of HENRY BOLTON of Ballycanvan Esqr. who departed this life Oct. 1805, aged 47 years and 11 months. Also CORNELIUS BOLTON Esqr. of Faithlegg House died May 1830. Also HENRY BOLTON Esqr. son of the above CORNELIUS BOLTON died May 30th 1852 aged 56 years. I look for the Resurrection and the life."

'3rd stone':—

"Here lyeth the Body of JOHN BOLTON Esq. of Mount Bolton who dept. this life the 17th of Janry. 1807 aged 24 years."

‘Centre stone’ :—

“To the memory of WILLIAM BOLTON Esqr. of Faithlegg son of THOMAS BOLTON Esqr. of Waterford who died the 12th of March 1750.

Also

HANNA his wife who was buried here 24th Dec. 1758.

JOHN BOLTON Esqr. of Faithlegg and Mount Bolton son of the above who died 23rd April 1793.

Also

ANNE his wife daughter of SNOW Esqr. of Snow Haven Co. Kilkenny who died 1801, CHARLES BOLTON Esqr. their son who died at Springfield Co. Kilkenny and was buried here 19th Octr. 1788 aged 29 years.

Also

ELLEN his wife and Eldest daughter of HARRY WALLIS Esqr. J.P. of Drishane Castle Co. Cork who died at Brook Lodge 21st of Feby 1842 CHARLES BOLTON second son of CHARLES and ELLEN died young and was buried here 9th of June 1793.
“La mort me suit.”

“To the memory of CHARLES NEWPORT BOLTON B.A. Oxon of Brook Lodge and Mount Bolton Co. Waterford Esqr. son of The REV HENRY BOLTON A.M. who died April 25 1884 in the 68 year of his age.

Jesus said I am the resurrection and the life whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die—John Cap. xi. 25, 26.”

“To the memory of FRANCES widow of The REV HENRY BOLTON A.M. vicar of Dysart Enos Queen’s Co. and second daughter of Sir SIMON NEWPORT Knt. who departed this life Beloved by all who knew her in the 92nd year of her age at Suir View Co. Kilkenny December 14th 1880. La mort me suit.”

‘The Rev. Henry Bolton died Nov. 8th, 1854, and was buried at the east end of Dysart Enos Church, Queen’s County.’

“To The memory of ANNE widow of CHARLES NEWPORT BOLTON Esqr. Brook Lodge, Co. Waterford Eldest daughter of Revd. JOSHUA ANDERSON, M.A., Vicar of Myshall, Co. Carlow, who died September 1st 1884 aged 75.
‘Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord.’—Rev. xiv : 13.”

“Here lyeth the Body of MARIA THEODOSIA KEATING wife of the Revd. JOHN WILLIAM KEATING Chaplain of the House of Commons who departed this life May 13th 1800 aged 22 years.”

‘In the church, amongst several others, are the following inscriptions’ :—

“ Here lyeth the bodies of Eight Children of JAMES HICKEY
& of SARAH HICKEY alias BOLTON.”



I. H. S.

“ Here lyeth y^e Body^y of WILLIAM and RALFE GALGEY alias
EALVERT 1759.”

“ Here rests the Remains of ANN JACKSON who departed this
life 30th Octbr 1797 aged 60 years. Also the Body of her
husband WILLIAM JACKSON who departed this life the 10th
day of Nober 1801 aged 62 years.”

‘EXTRACT FROM THE REGISTRY.’

‘ Sept. 24, 1793.—The Reverend WILLIAM DOWNES, D.D., was buried
in the Churchyard of Faithlegge, Sept. 24, 1793.

‘ Mrs. DOWNES, widow of the Rev. WILLIAM DOWNES, D.D., was buried
in the Churchyard of Faithlegg February 6th, 1793–4. (She was a Miss
ANNE BOLTON.)

‘ Dr. DOWNES is supposed by Cotton, in his “Fasti,” to have been son
of Dr. ROBERT DOWNES, Bishop of Ferns, and eldest son of Dr. HENRY
DOWNES, Bishop of Derry, and was educated at New College, Oxford. He
was Doctor of Divinity in 1790. In 1738, he was collated to the Prebend
of Mora in the diocese of Lismore. Sept. 20th, 1743, he resigned Mora,
and was appointed Chancellor of Lismore. 1771. Resigned the Chan-
cellorship of Lismore, and was appointed Chancellor of Waterford. 1776.
He was collated to the Prebend of Modeligo (Diocese of Lismore), which
he held to his death.’

For further notes on Faithlegg, see *Journal of the Royal
Society of Antiquaries*, vol. i., No. 6, 1891, page 481.

Killea.

‘Tombstone in the old burial-ground of Killea, near Dunmore East.

‘The north wall of the square tower, about 40 ft. in height, is still
standing. Part of the east gable, and about 8 ft. in height of the south
wall, and the foundations and bits of the other walls, are much concealed by
fallen rubbish. The style of building is very old. There are no dressed
stones. In the tower there are the remains of two small windows and
part of a vaulted chamber at its base.

‘The burial-ground has lately been well enclosed with a good wall on
three sides and a bank on the other. I failed to discover any older inscrip-

tions than 1714. Like so many other Irish burial-grounds, this is one wild mass of overgrown nettles and other weeds ; utterly neglected, I may say. What is to be said of the reverence shown by the descendants of those buried here, for their ancestors, when they allow such a state of things to exist ?'

Killea Old Church, near Dunmore.

[From Notes taken in 1891 by Colonel Vigors.]

'A large upright stone stands against the north wall of the tower of the old church, inscribed thus':—

"WILLIAM WYSE late of Dunmore who departed this life 2 [?] April 1794 aged 74 years. Also his wife ELLINOR WYSE, who departed this life the 2 June 1794 aged 62 years."

'Several other members of the WYSE family are also named on this stone.'

'A flat stone within the ruins is erected by':—

"HENRY DUMPHY in memory of his wife ALICE DUMPHY or MORRIS who departed this life Augt. 7th 1827 aged 64 years."

'An upright stone stands at the head of the last':—

"Erected to the memory of EDWARD MORRIS who died July 24, 1776, aged 75 years, also four of his children."

'A flat stone, half covered with dirt, has the date on it of 1777, and the following words still readable':—

"Aged 29, and 2 of his children aged 73 years The body of MARGARET the wife of GA [?] who died 1794 aged 84 [?] years."

"GEOFFREY POWER of Bellelake in memory of his Father PATK. who died May 14, 1859 aged 75 years."

"Erected by RICHARD SHEASLY in memory of his Father JOHN SHEASLY who departed this life June the 5, 1789 aged 80 years."

"WILLIAM POWER, 1782 [?] his wife ANSTACE POWER died 1805, aged 55 years."

'There are also "HERONS" named on other stones.'

‘The other names I noticed in this burial-ground were’ :—

BOWERS, several		KIRWANS.	
HACKETT, ...	1853	PHELAN, ...	1889
O'BRIEN, ...	1839	MAHER, ...	—
QUINNS, ...	1826	MORRIS, ...	1839
WHITES, &c.	1817	HICKEY, ...	1714
DOBBINS, several	1761	WHITTLE.	
SPENCERS, &c.	1811		

‘On the opposite side of the road is the present R. C. Chapel, a new building ; inside it is a mural monument of white marble on a black marble ground inscribed’ :—

“Sacred to the memory of the Revd. T. DIXON, P.P., who governed for six years the united Parishes of Killea and Crooke, with admirable zeal and prudence, earnest and faithful in the discharge of his sacred duties, the purity of his life, illustrated and enforced the lessons he so persuasively taught, every portion of his flock was dear to his Heart, but the young and the afflicted were the special objects of his tender care and generous sympathy, the interests of religion and the welfare of his people were ever Present to his mind, and after labouring with ardent and resolute purpose to advance and secure both, he was called to his reward on the 29th of September, 1849 in the 55 year of his age. Grateful affection has raised this monument as a tribute to his unsullied character and Priestly virtues. Requiescat in pace.”

‘The above is the only monument in the chapel.

‘In the burial-ground round the chapel, I noticed the following tomb-stones’ :—

“RICHARD THOMAS, R.N., Chief Officer of Coast Guard died April 1885 aged 39 years.”

[An upright stone.]

“PETER REDMOND, Light Keeper Dunmore East in memory of his daughter Mrs. CUNNINGHAM alias MARIA REDMOND, who died Jany. 8th, 1857, aged 28 years.”

“MOSES REDMOND aged 66 years.

Captain MURPHY, of Passage East, to his mother, 1884.

DENNIS ...	1869, &c.	MURPHYS ...	1841
GLODY ...	1836, &c.	TOOLE ...	1874
PHELANS ...	1860	POWERS ...	Several
DOWERS ...	1850, &c.	CONNORS ...	do.
HURLEY		KENNEDY ...	do.
JOHN WYSE	1846, &c.	STAPLETON ...	1877, &c.
WALSHS of Dunmore,	1831.		

‘What appears to be an ancient holy-water stoop is built into the wall of the entrance porch inside.’

Parish of Reisk.

‘Monuments inside the ruin’ :—

“Erected to the memory of the Rev. JOHN MEANY P.P. of Reisk, who departed this life January 27th 1800.

The prayers of the widow and the orphan, and the blessings of his flock constitute his monument.”

“Pray for the Rev. Father MAURICE O’ HEAM, who died Jany. 12th 1763, aged 49 years.”

‘In the burial-ground’ :—

“Here lies the Body of JAMES O’SULLIVAN, son of ROBERT O’SULLIVAN of Ballylegat, who dyed ye 26 of April, 1736 aged 21 years, also ye Body of JAMES O’SULLIVAN of Dublin uncle of sd. JAMES, descended from the ancient race of Berehaven, to whose memory this monument was erected, who died ye 5 of April 1738, aged 52 years.”

“Here lieth the Body of the Rev. Father MAURICE WALSH P.P. of this place who departed this life the 8th September 1778, aged 80 years.”

“Here lies the Body of the Rev. JAMES FENNELL, Parish Priest of Reisk, who dyed the 28th day of August 1747 aged 89 years.”

Lisnakil.

‘Within the ruins’ :—

“Here lieth the Body of PAUL SHERLOCK, Esqre. who departed this life the 19th day of March, 1776, aged 76 years.”

“HIC JACET JACOB RONA | N DE HACKETS
TOUNE MEDIC’ CELEBERIM’ | OBIT X. DIE
ANNO
ÑO. 1626 ET VXOR AN | ASTASIA DEVEROX
DEFVNCTA ANNO 1614.”

‘The Flinn family appears to have appropriated this old tombstone. The death of MARGARET FLINN who died 30th November, 1813, is recorded on it.’

Stradbally Parish.

LIST OF INCUMBENTS FROM THE FIRST FRUITS RECORDS.

'THOMAS WILKINSON, admiss. fuit, 22^o Martii, 1634, ad vicar. de Aglis Negall, & vic. de Stradbally, in co. Waterford.

'RICHUS GEADINCH, admiss. 20 April, 1639, ad vic. de Stradbally, in co. Waterford.

'FRANCISC. BARNARD, cler. admiss. institut. & induct. fuit, 3^o die Dec. 1662, ad & in vicar. de Stradbally, infra nostra dioc. Lismore, & co. Waterford. £9. 2s. 2d.

'JOHAN. RUGG, admiss. & institut. fuit, 21 die mensis Martii, 1672, ad & in vic. de Stradbally, in co. Waterford. £10. st.

'PIERC. RUGG, cler. in A. M. institut. & admiss. fuit, 20^o die Martii, 1706, ad vic. Mothell, & Stradbally, dioc. Lismore, com. pd. £10. st.

'LAWRENCE BRODERICK, collated 13th June, 1774, v. Mothell, Rathgormick, Stradbally, Ballylaheen, Fewes, Collgan, Clonea, n. t.

'HENRY CONNOR, collated 21 Sept. 1786, Vs. Mothell, Fewes, Stradbally, Rathgormack, Ballylaheen, Clonea, Collgan, n. t.

'ROBERT WATTS, A. M., collated 7 Jan. 1789, Vs. Mothell, Fewes, Stradbally, Rathgormack, Ballylaheen, Clonea, Colligan, n. t.

'EDWARD GROOM, A. M., collated 25 Nov. 1791, Vs. Stradbally, Ballylaheen, Clonea, n. t.

'JOHN DEVEREUX, instit. 20 Nov. 1798, Vs. Stradbally, Ballylaheen, Clonea, n. t.'

[From the Rev. C. T. McCready, D.D.]

"Here lieth the bodies of DAVID RODERICK, MARTIN RODERICK, & GEO. RODERICK Esq. sons of SAMUEL RODERICK of Ballyroney Esq. DAVID departd. this life 17 Mar. 1740 aged 48 years," &c. &c.

'South of the ruins of the Monastery':—

"Here lies the Body of the Revd. Father PIERCE BYRON who died July 9th 1777 aged 34 years."

'Within the church':—

"This tablet is erected by a brother in memory of CHARLOTTE MARY daughter of EDWARD MCGWIRE Esqr. Clonea, who died at Dublin, July 19, 1875 aged 20 years, and is interred at Mount St. Jerome Cemetery."

'Below the memorial window':—

"In memory of Colonel GEORGE JOHN BERESFORD R.A. and FRANCES CONSTANTIA, his wife, also of CHARLES RICHARD GORDON BERESFORD, 3rd son of the above, who died at Calcutta, 24th Sept. 1869, after a short illness, aged 20 years."

‘In the churchyard’ :—

“ CHARLES CROWLEY died 1 Novr. 1867, aged 31.

CATHERINE CROWLEY his mother died 24 May 1869, aged 70.

WILLIAM CROWLEY died 30 Aug. 1868 aged 65.

JOHN CROWLEY died 22 Mar. 1869 aged 77.

ANNIE WILSON alias CROWLEY died 31 August 1879 aged 24.”

“ Sacred | to the Memory of | PIERSE BARRON | Esq. of
Ballyneale | in this county | who died at Clifden May 31,
1811 aged 59 years.”

“ This Monument | is erected by PIERSE BARRON of Fahagh
Esq. | in memory of dearly beloved wife | ANNE BARRON,
alias POWER | who departed this life 12th of August 1803 |
in the 74th year of her age.”

“ Here lieth | the body of | the Rev. ALEXANDER BURKE |
24 years P.P., of Stradbally | who departed this life in the
month of November | 1829 | Much esteemed, and beloved
by his parishioners. Requiescat in pace.”

‘Inscription from the cemetery attached to the chapel of Stradbally’ :—

“ Sacred | to the Memory of PIERSE W. BARRON | Esq and
his sisters MARGARET, MATILDA, CATHERINO, and ELIZA |
who all perished in an early and watery grave | by the Wreck
of the Wm. & Mary Packet | Oct. 23, 1817.
This tribute of affection erected by a fond brother the pain
of tender feeling | can but ill deplore | the many unostentatious
Virtues of friends endeared | by every sympathetic tie |
but if merely rectitude of conduct | and female delicacy of
mind | could claim our love and admiration | humanity
indeed may shed a tear | over this perishable monument.”

Waterford City.

‘From a tomb in the old cemetery between John’s-lane and Parliament-street, in the City of Waterford ; it is close to a still older tomb ; both are now neglected and falling into decay. The graveyard itself is a scene of utter desolation, ruin, and neglect’ :—

“ WYSE

Tomb of the | family of the WYSES of the Manor Waterford |
Erected by THOMAS WYSE Esqr. | on the death of his father |
JOHN WYSE Esqr. who departed this life | on the 1 Day of
December 1799 in the 75th year of his age | adjoining old
tomb in the South-East corner, contains the remains of the
ancestors of THOMAS WYSE, a long series of years.”

COUNTY WESTMEATH.

Athlone Parish—St. Mary's Church.

(Continued from vol. iii., p. 349.)

[From notes kindly contributed by the Reverend Geo. T. Stokes, D.D.]

"Sacred to the memory of Lieut. JOHN O'LEARY of the 99th Regiment who died at Athlone on the 7th July 1837 aged 46 years. [Registered 30 July.]"

"ANNE MULLEENY died the 17th May 1838 aged 24 years.

Soul beloved adieu adieu
Thine the bliss but mine the pain
Here we die to live anew
Now we part to meet again.

Erected by her husband WILLIAM MULLEENY."

"Sacred to the memory of SARAH ROSSBOROUGH who fell asleep in Jesus the 16 of July 1838 aged 75 yrs. This tomb was erected by her Husband and much beloved children."—[Rev. 14, 13 v.]

"Sacred to the memory of MARY DUNFORD wife of SAMUEL SNEYD LAMB Esq. ordnance store keeper who departed this Life on the 3rd of December 1838 aged 50 years." [Registered.]

"Sacred to the memory of GEORGE KINGSTON who depd. this life July 19 1839 aged 36 years. This stone is erected by his affectionate wife MARIA KINGSTON alias TALBOT as a small tribute of their united love." [Registered.]

"Sacred to the memory of WILLIAM ENGLISH who depd. this life on the 22nd of January 1841 in the 43rd year of his age. [Registered William English.]
Also to JOSEPH his eldest son who died Jany. 16th 1842 aged 16 years.
Joseph Registered "accidentally shot himself."
Also his son WILLIAM ENGLISH who departed this life on the 7th day of Sepr. 1855 aged 27 years.
This monument erected by his wife ELIZA ENGLISH."

"Sacred to the memory of JOHN JOHNSTON of Ballykuran who departed this life Oct. 3rd 1842 in the 60 year of his age. [Registered.] Also to his son JOHN JOHNSTON died July 24th 1841 aged 21 years. [Registered.] This monument was erected by his son ANDREW JOHNSTON who departed this life 5th of October 1841 aged 27 years." [Registered (?) 1844.]

"In memory of FRANCIS BARNETT Esqr. M.D. Assistant Surgeon of the 46th Regiment who died at Athlone on the 6th day of August 1843 in the Thirty Third year of his age This tomb is erected by his Brother officers and certain Non-Commissioned officers and men of the 46th Regiment in Testimony of their affection and sincere regard." [Registered.]

"The vault of GRANVILLE HEYWOOD ELIOT Esqr. 4th Royal Irish Dragoon Guards who was unfortunately Drowned on the Shannon on the 19th of August 1844 and to whose memory a tablet is erected by his brother officers in this church." [Registered monument in church to same.]

"To the memory of JOHN T. HARRISON who was accidentally drowned in the river Shannon by the upsetting of a boat on the 12th of June 1845 aged 22 years. Erected as a token of affection and esteem by his brother-in-law JOHN LONG Engineer to the Shannon improvement." [Registered 19 June 1846.]

"Sacred to the memory of WILLIAM R. GREGORY Esqr. whom the Lord suddenly summoned from time to Eternity by the upsetting of a sail boat in Lough Rhee Sept. 30th 1845 aged 23 Eldest Son of the Revd. WILLIAM GREGORY.— [1 Cor. 15, 22.] [Registered.]

"Underneath this stone are deposited the Remains of SAMUEL LONGWORTH of Anneville who fell asleep in Jesus, on the 12th of Feby. 1848 aged 76 years. [Registered.] Erected as a tribute of affection by his bereaved widow and children."

"Sacred to the memory of Mrs. ANNE SMITH of Athlone who died May 28th 1848 in the 65th year of her age. [Registered 29 May] and of her son WILLIAM SMITH who departed this life March 11th 1839 aged 28 years." [Registered.]

"Sacred to the memory of SALEY JAMESON depd. this life 20th of April 1849 Aged 45 years. [Registered (?) Sarah 30 April.] Also her husband WILLIAM JAMESON died August 10th 1854 aged 56 years. Erected by their son RALPH JAMESON."

"Here lie the Mortal Remains of SAMUEL ROBINSON formerly Master Gunner of the Royal Artillery for a period of 53 years who Depd. this life Sept. 11th 1849 in the 75 year of his age. [Registered 18 Sept. Samuel Robinson.] Also his beloved wife BELLINDA ROBINSON who departed this life on the 2nd April 1857 in the 73rd year of her age. [Registered BELINDA ROBINSON.] And their Son SAMUEL who departed this life on the 31st January 1861 in the 38th

year of his age. [Registered SAMUEL ROBINSON.] Also their Daughter JANE PERCY who departed this life August 30th 1861 aged 37 years. [Registered JANE ROBINSON.] [Rev. xiv. xiii. ver.] Erectd. by his wife BELINDA."

"Sacred to the memory of ROBERT WALKER who departed this life September the 18th 1849 aged 82 years. [Registered ROBERT WALKER.] Erected by his wife ELIZABETH as a mark of her affection. Also of his beloved wife ELIZABETH WALKER who departed this life 20th August 1858 aged 92 years." [Registered 21 Aug.]

(To be continued.)

Ballyloughloe Parish.

[From the Rev. George T. Stokes, D.D.]

'The following inscription is from a monument in MOUNT TEMPLE CHURCH, BALLYLOUGHLOE, in this county. It is dedicated to the memory of the Rev. JOHN TRAVERS, who was more than 40 years rector of the parish. He was rector of Ballyloughloe when the Rev. Charles Goldsmith, father of Oliver, was rector of the adjoining Kilkenny West':—

"To the Memory of the Rev. JOHN TRAVERS, A.M., Late Vicar of this Parish. The most affectionate Husband, Father, Friend, whose Piety, Probity, Benevolence, Complacency of manners and Pastoral Care of his Parishioners commanded the esteem, and rendered him the delight of all who knew him. He was translated to a happy Eternity on the 22nd of April, 1774, in the 81st year of his age. Here also lie the remains of ALICE TRAVERS, his wife, whose conjugal and parental affection afforded a bright example to all who had the happiness of being within her influence. This Tablet is inscribed by their afflicted children MDCCLXXVII."

Barony of Delvin.

"THE · ARMES · OF · S^r JOHN · BEDLOW · KN |
IGHT · AND · DAEM · ISMAY · NUGENT · HIS ·
WIF · | WIF · BEFORE · TO · THOMAS · GAI · OF ·
ATHBOY | MADD · THIS · BRIDGE · IN · ANNO ·
IND · 1584 · DESIRING · AL · THAT · PASSED · BY ·
TO · PRAY · FOR · THEM · ALL · THRE."

'Many of the letters are conjoined.

'The above inscription is on Ballinacor Bridge in this county.

'The Bellew and Nugent arms and also those of Gay and Nugent with the following mottoes are also on the stone':—

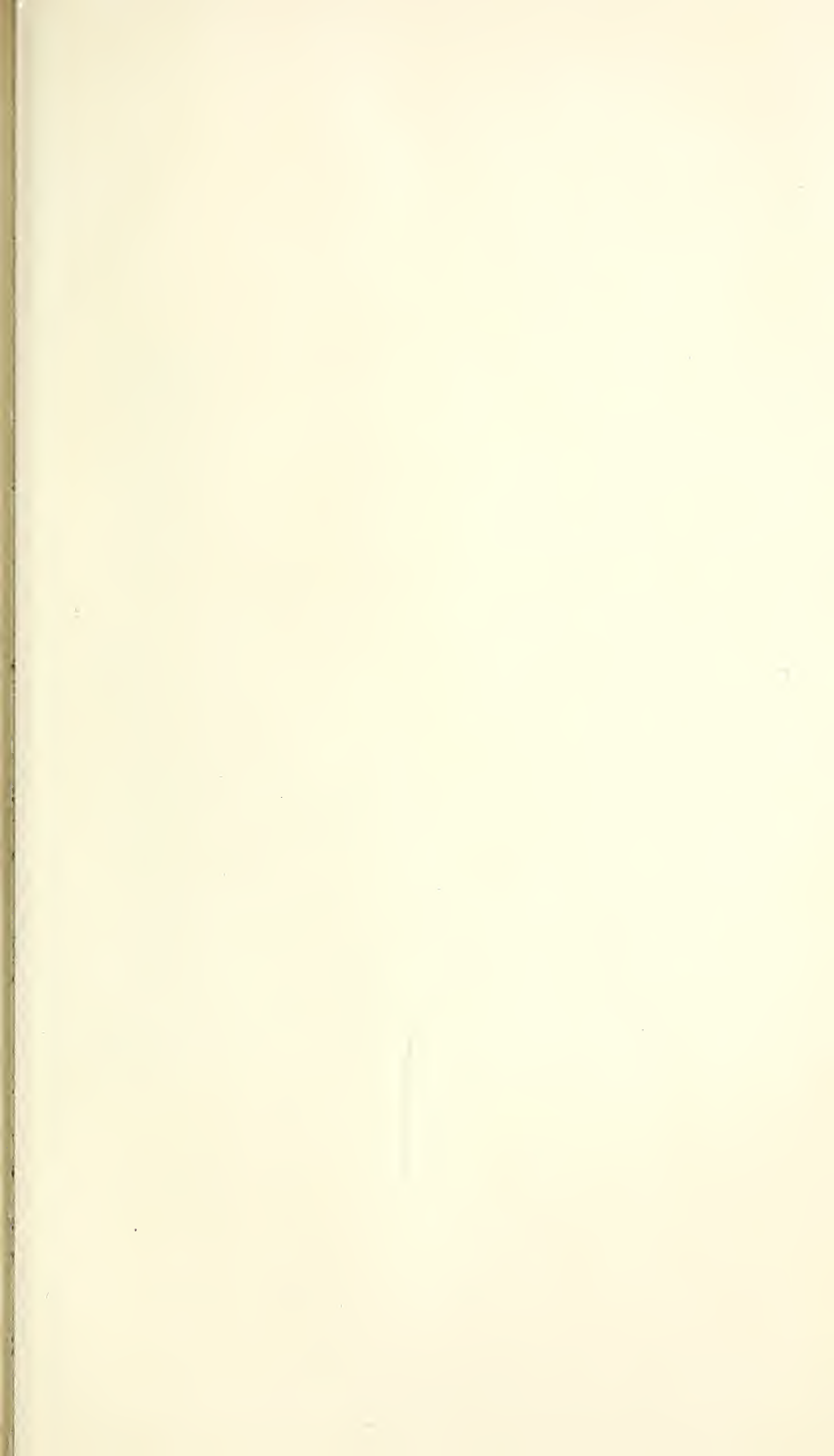
"DÑS VIDEBIT," and "IN DEO SPERO."

Newtown-Fertullagh Parish.—Christ Church.

[From H. M. Pilkington, Esqr.]



Sacred to the memory of
 Lieut Colonel GEORGE GREY
 of the — Foot
 who fell at the storming of Badajos
 on the night of the 6th April 1812
 in the 33^d year of his age
 This memorial of the Esteem Affection
 and Sorrow
 of his afflicted widow
 (Who now unceasingly laments him)
 is the humble record of those virtues
 in which though dead he yet liveth
 Though absent he is yet present
 in the remembrance of all who valued
 him
 as a Christian, a Husband, and his
 Friend.





PILKINGTON MONUMENT AT NEWTOWN FERTULLAGH,
 COUNTY WESTMEATH, 1896.
 CHRIST CHURCH.

‘This monument was removed from the old church, and also RICHARD PILKINGTON’S, to the present church, in 1836.

‘Col. GREY was father to Sir GEORGE GREY, formerly Governor of Western Australia, and afterwards of New Zealand. His mother was ELIZABETH ANNE VIGNOLES. She m. secondly Sir JOHN THOMAS, Bart., 10 March, 1817 (his 2nd wife). She was eldest dau. of the Rev. JOHN VIGNOLES, of Cornalur, in this county.’

‘Brass in Christ Church’ :—

“In the vault at the west end of the ruins of the old church of this Parish are deposited the remains of BARBARA wife of HENRY PILKINGTON of Tore Esqre. who was born on the 23rd of April 1790 married on the 24th of April 1806 and died on the 14 of April 1864 in the 74th year of her age.

Favour is deceitful & beauty is vain but the
Woman that feareth the Lord, She shall be praised.
Beside her rests all that is mortal of her Husband

HENRY PILKINGTON

who was born on the 4th Nov. 1780 and died on the 23rd December 1865 in the 86th year of his age.

The Lord redeemeth the soul of his servants and
None of those that trust in Him shall be desolate.
Their son and daughters have erected this tablet in Grateful remembrance of their parents whose chief earthly enjoyment was to promote their children happiness.”

‘The arms of the Low family of Newtown Low are on the left side of this tablet.’

H. M. Pilkington, Esqr., in sending us the photograph from which the drawing of Richard Pilkington’s monument is made, writes :—

“The tradition is, that, at the Battle of Hastings, Pilkington, pursued by fifty Norman archers, changed his dress with a mower, but was discovered by his holding the scythe in his left hand.”

“The meaning of the motto : ‘Pylkington poles ye Downs’ (the Saxon words) roughly translated is : ‘The master mowes the meadows.’

“This Richard was the first of the Pilkington family to settle in this county.”

‘The motto on the drawing reads’ :—

“PILKINGTON PAILS DOWN y^e MASTER MOWES y^e MEDDOW.”

‘And the inscription under it is’ :—

"RICHARD . PILKINGTON . OF . TORE . ESQ^r
 DEPARTED . THIS . LIFE . IN . y^o . 73 . YEAR .
 OF . HIS . AGE . & . ON . y^o . 10th . OF . 8^{br} . ANO .
 1711."

Parish of Rathconrath.

LIST OF INCUMBENTS FROM FIRST FRUITS' RECORDS.

'Rectoria de Rathconnerth, ecclia, repatur. cancel. ruinatur. JACOB DILLON miles pdict. patronus adm. ad repand. cancellano: dict rectoria valet per annum £40.

'MYR. JACOB ARESKYN, clicus. in artib. magr. verbi divini pdicator. rect. 1615.

'RANDULPHUS ADAMS. institut. 2 Sept. 1630, ad rect. de Rathconrath, v. de Rathconrath, £3, 15.

'Rathconrath rect. vicecomes de Roscomon patronus, valet £40. 1633.

'MILESUS SWYNY, cler. institut. fuit 15^o Jan. 1675, ad rect. de Rathconra in com. Westmidd.

'NICHUS. KNIGHT, cler. institut. fuit 21^o die Martii, 1696, ad rect. de Rathconrath dioc. Midd. com. Westmidd.

'BENJ. HAWKSHAW, cler. institut. fuit 9 Jun. 1730, ad vicar. de Ardnurcher et collat, ad rect. de Rathcondrah et Pierstowne in dioc. prd.

'CURREL SMITH, collated 29 Dec. 1738. to the rect. of Rathcondra.

'MICHEL M'KINLIE, 2 March, 1748, r. Rathcondrah.

'WM. OULD, 12 Feb. 1765, r. of Rathcondrath, v. same, £13, 15s.

'FREDERIC AUGUSTUS POTTER, instituted 4th March, 1811, to the rectory of Rathcondra, in the diocese of Meath and Co. Westmeath, vice William Ould, who held from 12th Feb. 1765, and vacated by resignation, £13 15s. Ir. £10. 5. 9d Engl.—[Mason.]

Rahue or Rathugh Churchyard.

[From the Rev. R. S. Craig, Tullamore.]

"Here lieth the body of JOHN BAGNALL who departed this life the 25 day of December 1755 aged 72 years."

"This stone is erected by LUCY WALKER who lies interred underneath Died 24 June 1797 aged 75 years. And who is in hope of an happy resurrection. And she requests it may not be removed till the resurrection of the just."

I. H. S

"Pray for the Soul of THOMAS GEOGHEGAN who departed this life in the year 1738 aged 61. And also MARGARET his wife who depd. 1767 aged 81. This is erected by AMBROSE GEOGHEGAN their son."

“This stone was erected by JOHN CODD for his beloved wife MARY CODD who departed this life the 7th day of May 1760 in the 38th year of her age. And his beloved son WILLIAM CODD who departed this life 14th Dec. 1744 in the 1st year of his age.”

‘N.B.—The Codd’s had a distillery in Kilbeggan in the last century. The last of the family has long since died.

‘A monastery is said to have been founded here in the sixth century, by St. Aid. Two large “Raths” are in this Parish—one very remarkable.’—[Lewis.]

COUNTY WEXFORD.

DIOCESE OF FERNS.

Parish of Carne.

LIST OF INCUMBENTS TAKEN FROM FIRST FRUITS’ RECORDS.

‘ADAM WALLER, institut. primo April, 1639, ad vicar. de Carne, £8, 11s. 9d.

‘PHINEAS WALLER, collat. fuit 2^o die Maij, 1668, ad thesaurar. eccl. cathed. sti. edani Ffern, £32, 14s. 8d. necnon in vicar. de Carne, in com. Wexford, & dioc. Ffern. £11, 9s.

‘JONES. BARRINGTON, cler. in artib. magr. collat. fuit 9^o die April, 1685, in thesauriat. Ffern, £32, 14s. 8. & ad vic. de Carne, £11, 9s. 0d.

‘WILLUS WILLIAMS, cler. in art. magr. collat. & installat. fuit 20^o die April. 1686, thesauriat, Ffern. & vicar. de Carne, com. Wexf. £24, 14s. in a. £11, 9s. in h.

‘JAMES HASTINGS, A.M., r. Carne, v. same, 29 Dec. 1757, Wexford, £11, 9s.

‘ROB. WOOLDRIDGE, A.M. collated 27 Aug. 1776, r. Carne, v. same.

‘SAM. HEYDON, collated 14 Aug. 1792, r. & v. Carne, Wexford.

‘RICHARD BEVAN, A.B. collated 10 Sept. 1798, r. v. same, Wexford, £11, 9s.’—[Mason.]

At Duncannon.

Du Noyer, writing in 1850, mentions the following inscription on an old house in this village :—

“IMPERANIE GEORGEI ROBERTO STEARNE
PREFECTO PROPUGNACVLO INSTAURATO ANNO
DOMINI 1724.”

Killesk—[The church near the water].

'There is a feudal castle in Killesk in tolerable repair, and the ruin of the mansion house of the **ITCHINGHAM** family is to be seen in the store-keeper's yard at Duncannon Fort.

'At Dunbrody Abbey, in a niche ornamented with cut stone, there was a sarcophagus, representing a Bishop in his robes, said to have been the tomb of Herlewin, a Bishop of Leighlin, and a benefactor to the abbey; this is now broken in pieces, in search of treasure.'

For more about Dunbrody, &c., see *Mason*, vol. i., p. 469.—
P. D. V.

The late John Davis White, in his notes on this parish, says :—

'This new and beautiful church, both in style and execution, is a perfect model of tasteful and appropriate architecture. The east window is filled with a beautiful stained glass representation of the Last Supper; the other windows are also of stained glass.

'In the cemetery attached to the church is a beautiful white marble monument to the memory of a gentleman of the name of Chichester, erected by his widow.'

Mr. White then gives the inscription on the church plate.

'On the Flagon':—

*"The gift of ANTHONY CLIFFE Esq, to y^e
Parish Church of S^t James in Dunbrody and
County of Wexford, March 1725."*

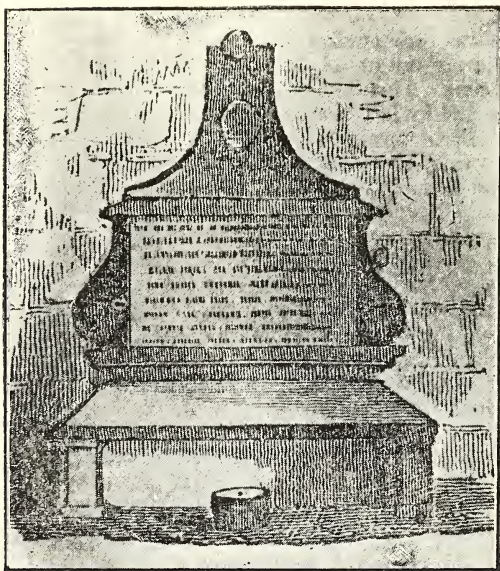
'On the Chalice and Paten':—

*"The gift of ANTHONY CLIFFE Esq to y^e
Parish Church of S^t James in Dunbrody and
County of Wexford June y^e 8th 1723."*

Tacumshane Parish [Union].

[By the Rev. William Eastwood, Rector, 1813.]

'This union, usually called Kilsoran, and which confers on the incumbent the clerical dignity of Chancellor of Ferns, is situated in the barony of Forth, about 6 to 10 miles S.E. of the town of Wexford. It contains, besides the Parish of Tacumshane, the Rectories of Kilsoran, Ballymore, Rosslare, Killilane, together with the Vicarage of Kilrane and St. Margaret's.'



COLCLOUGH MONUMENT, TINTERN CHURCH.

‘LIST OF INCUMBENTS EXTRACTED FROM THE FIRST FRUITS’ RECORDS.’

‘EDMUND BURDEAUX admiss die & anno. supradict [6 Oct., 1618], vicar de Tacumshane £7 7s.

‘Per certific. RICHARD FERNEN &c. dat 10^o die May 1667.

‘BARTHOLOM VIGORS, institut fuit in rector de Roslare et Ballymore et vicar de Tacumshane al. Thacomshane, £7 7s. in dioc. pred et com pred.*

‘ROB. STANNARD induct fuit 12^o die Oct. 1681 ad et in vicaria de Tacumshane £5 10s. 4d. R. de Rosslare £29 11s. 9d. L. V. de Rosslare, £12, et Ballymore, R. de Killscoran, £19 18s. 3d., et in Vic. de Killcoane £5 10s. Dioc. Fern. et Com. Wexford.

‘JOHES HAUGH, cler. collat et induct fuit 6 die Dec. 1686, in R. de Kilscowran £26. 11s. V. de Tacumshane £5. 10s. 3d. Roslare £12, Ballymore & Kilrane, Dioc. Fern. com. Wexford.’

(*To be continued.*)

ANCIENT TOMB IN TINTERN CHURCH.

(From the *Dublin Penny Journal*, for Dec. 1834.)

‘Sir,—In the old church of Tintern, in the County of Wexford, adjoining the once famous abbey of Tintern, stands a tomb belonging to the ancient family of the Colcloughs. The crest and arms were formerly attached to the tomb, but have been removed. In copying the inscription I have followed the exact spelling, as I think it somewhat curious.’—C. D.

“IN OBITUM EGREGII VIREI ANTONI COLCLOUGHE, MILITES
PRISTINE SUBLIMI PROAVORUM STEMATE DUCTA
ET SEREIS MAGNIS ORTA AB IMAGINIBUS
ATQUE SUPERBA MANUS VARIIS ORNATA TROPHEIS
HÆC SORTIS FRAGILI SOLA PARENTUR OPE
AST SINCERUS AMOR PATRIÆ VOX CONSONA VULGI
ET VERUS VERO CANDOR HONORE NITERIS.
NESCHIA VEL DURIS FLECTI CONSTANTIA REBUS
NON ALIENA SED HÆC NOSTRA VOCARE LICET
VTERUM PLURA DARET SORS ET MATURE VICESSIM
CERTARUNT UNO CUNCTA VIATOR HABES

* Afterwards Dean of Armagh and Bishop of Leighlin and Ferns (1690).

HERE LIETH THE BODY OF SYR
 ANTHONY COLCLOVGHE KNIGHT
 EL-DEST SUNE OF RICHARD COLCLOVGHE
 OF VOLVERTON IN STAFFORDSHIRE
 ESQVRE, WHO CAME FIRST INTO THIS
 LAND THE 31 YEER OF HENRY YE 8
 AND THEN WAS CAPTAYN OF THE
 PENSIONERS IN WHICH PLACE, AND
 OTHERS OF GREATER CHARGE, HE
 CONTINVED A MOST FAYTHFUL SER-
 VANT DVRING THE LIFE OF EDWARD
 THE VI AND QVEN MARY AND UNTIL
 THE XXVI YER OF OUR MOST NOBLE
 QUEN ELIZATH, AND THEN DIED
 THE 9TH OF DECEMBER 1584 —
 HE LEFT BY HIS WIFE CLARE AGERE
 DOWGHER OF THOMAS AGERE ESQVRE,
 SEVEN SONNS, FRANCIS, RATLIFE,
 ANTHONY, SYR THOMAS COLCLOVGHE,
 KNIGHT, JOHN, MATHEW, LENARD,
 AND FOUR DOUGHTERS, JAQUET, WAS
 MARIED TO NICHLAS WALSH
 ESQVIER OF THE PRIVIE COVNSAL
 AND ONE OF THE JUSTISE OF THE
 KINGS BENCH, IRLAND, FRANCES
 MARIED TO WILLIAM SMETHWIKE
 ESQVRE, CLARE MARIED TO WILLIAM
 SNEAD OF BROADWALL IN STAFERD
 SHIER ESQVRE, ELENOR DIED IVNGE."

We have to thank C. Perceval Bolton for a copy of this
 curious and interesting inscription, made some years ago by his
 father. We do not know who the writer (C. D.) of the above
 was.

COUNTY WICKLOW.

Delgany Parish—Kilcoole.

[From the Rev. R. S. Maffett.]

(*Continued from vol. ii., p. 403, and iii., p. 359, 1893 and 1896.*)

‘The ivy covered remains of the old church, situated close to the village, and the “Rock of Kilcoole,” lie slightly more E. than S.E. Lewis says that this parish (which is included in the Union of Delgany) “originally formed part of the ancient territory called *Crioch Cualan*, the maritime portion of the Country of the O’Byrnes, and subsequently of the district of Ranelagh, which for more than two centuries has given the title of Viscount to the family of Jones” (descended from Dr. Jones, Archbishop of Dublin, 1605–1619).

‘Since my visit of the previous year (1892), some repairs had been done to the boundaries of the churchyard. Leaning against the “west” wall, near the N.W. corner of the ground, is a broken stone embedded in earth. It is about 2 feet long, and has a cross in relief about 2 inches high, a part of one of the shafts being 3 inches. The cross touches the extremities of the stone. Inside the ruins of the small church, which are kept locked, there is lying, near the south wall, the broken bowl of a plain (granite?) font, the outside of which is square, measuring 2 feet each way, and 17 inches in depth; the sides are 3 inches thick. About three-quarters of the bowl, which inside is 9 inches deep and has an aperture, remain. An iron railing with locked gate separates the chancel and a small part of the nave from the rest of the church. The chancel, which has served as a mausoleum of the Scott family of Ballygannon, has a round arch and is traversed overhead by iron rods, through which the falling ivy, &c., look exceedingly pretty. This enclosed part is neatly gravelled. The church and graveyard are in charge of a caretaker, paid by the present representative of the above family. There are memorials to other members of this family in the old and new churchyards of Delgany.

‘With respect to the name of Kelly which appears in several inscriptions that I copied from the churchyard in 1892, I may mention that Harris (“Ware’s Antiquities”) says that *Crioch-Cualan*, “comprehending the north parts of the B. of Arklow, and the S. of the B. of New-Castle, [was] the Seat of a Branch of the O-Kelly’s,” Hy-Maine, in the County Galway, being elsewhere mentioned by him as the “O-Kellys Country.”

‘Of the O’Byrnes he speaks as follows:—“Raniloughis * * *, the Western Part of the County of Wicklow, [was] possessed by a Sept of the O-Birnes, who were a shifting faithless People, and chose to dwell in Caves, Glynns and Mountains; while another Branch of the O-Birnes, who inhabited the East of the County along the Sea-Coast, from Windegates almost to Arklow, were more obedient to the Laws.”

‘I do not find that O’Byrne’s “Historical Reminiscences of the O’Byrnes,

&c. (privately printed, 1843)," or the pedigrees contained in it, throw any light on the former Ballygannon family of the name, through a marriage into which I have heard the property came to the present owners, it would seem in the earlier part of last century. A Captain Scott, R.N., after losing his ship off Kilcoole, was, it appears, hospitably entertained, along with his officers, by the Byrnes of Ballygannon, and afterwards married a daughter of the house.'

'Passing inside the railing, there lie two flat stones between it and the chancel, close to the south and north walls respectively.

'South side':—



I. H. S.

"*H*ERE : LYETH : THE : BODYE
 OF : THEADY : BYRN : OF : BALL[Y ?]
 GANNON : ESq^r : AND : FRAN
 CES : HIS : WIFE : WHO : DEPAR
 TED : THIS_[,] LIFE : THE : 9th OF
 [F]EBRVARY 1707
 PVRS[EL · BYRN ?] · DECEASED ·
 APRIL · THE [· 9th ?] 1724 · AGED ·
 19 · YEARS · CHA[R]LES · BYR[N]
 DECEASED · DEC[EM]BER · TH[E]
 [?]3 · 1733 · AGED · 63 · YEARS
 HERE · ALSO · LIETH · THE · BOD^[y ?]
 OF · THE · REV^d FATHER · THA^[y ?]
 [B]YRN · WHO · DEPARTED · TH[I]^s
 [L]IFE · ON · THE · 13th DAY OF ·
 [DEC]^r 1743 · AGED · 39 · YEARS."

Pie, Jesu  Doimne,
Dona, eis IHS Requiem.

“ HERE · LIETH · THE · BODY ·
OF · M^r · ANTHONY · BYRN ·
DECEAS^D DECEM^r · 2^D 1729 ·
AGED · 63^{yrs} ~ FELIX · BYRN ·
DECEAS^D · IAN^{ry} · 29 · 1729 · ·
RICH^D · BYRN [] DECEAS^D APRIL · 17 ·
1744 ~ M^{rs} ANNE · BYRN · DECE-
=AS^D · AUGst 18 · 1744 · AGED · 73 ~
M^{rs} JANE · BYRN · DECEAS^D · MARC^H ·
29 · 1755 · AGED · 33 Y^{rs} · WITH ·
SIX · OF · HER · CHILDREN ~.”

‘Above the comma after “Pie” there seems to have been something like a note of admiration, or letter, cut. The letters N and E are conjoined in this inscription.

‘North side’ :—

‘Beginning with the north side of the chancel, there is, next to the nave, a small white marble tablet. Above this (and apparently originally joined to it by material of the same description), is a medallion, on which are represented in relief two arms clasping a cross, with incised Latin inscription below. This medallion is one which would be much admired’ :—

“ DEUS MEUS ET OMNIA MEA.

Here rest the remains of CECILIA MARY SCOTT eldest daughter of EDWARD WILLIAM & ANNE SCOTT, who departed this life 4th July 1830 aged nearly 14 years.
As in Adam all die Even so in Christ shall all be made alive.—I. Cor. c. 15, v. 22.”

‘The next tablet has a border of limestone (?), and is arched ; above the apex of arch there is carved in relief, within a circle, a cross presenting features of the pattée and Maltese descriptions.

‘Some initial letters and some words of the inscription are in red’ :—

Near lie the mortal remains of EDWARD WILLIAM SCOTT A.M. one of the King's Counsel in Ireland, Chairman of the Co. Fermanagh, and 3rd son of JOHN PENDRED SCOTT of Ballygannon Esq. who, in the 53rd year of his age, entered into rest ; on the 7th day of January A.D. 1835.

His integrity as a Judge, sincerity as a friend, affection as a husband, and love as a father, were the results of a deep, and constant sense of the religion, which guided all the actions of a pure, and guileless life. "In thy presence is fulness of joy." "Absent from the body, present with the Lord."

Also of ANNE, his wife ; daughter of ARTHUR KNOX (of Castle Rea Co. Mayo, and of Woodstock, in this county) Esq and of the Lady MARY, eldest daughter of ANTHONY, 8th Earl of Meath. She in her 87th year, fell asleep, April 22nd A.D. 1873, and of CHARLES ADOLPHUS, and ELLEN JANE, their children, who passed away in early youth.

"Christ, have mercy upon us."

"Lord, have mercy upon us."

'The third and last tablet on the north side is white, with some grey marble at top and bottom':—

"In this place lie the remains of JOHN PENDRED SCOTT, Esqr., Formerly of Ballygannon in this Parish. He died on the 13th Feby 1793 after a short illness aged 53 years, leaving 3 sons, JOHN MIDDLETON, JAMES SMYTH, & EDWARD WILLIAM SCOTT surviving him. The greater part of his life was passed in the East Indies, where he established a high character for integrity, justice, benevolence, & generosity ; & secured the warm regard & esteem of all who knew him. Having returned to this his native country in the year 1789, he lost his affectionate & pious wife ANNE, daughter of the late JAMES SMYTH Esqr. of the Co. of Westmeath at sea during their passage home. This record of a beloved & revered father, was erected by his surviving son, to mark the spot where his remains rest, in hope of a blessed resurrection. Here also are deposited the bodies of the Lady ARABELLA BARBARA SCOTT, widow of the late Revd. JOHN M. SCOTT, & youngest daughter of ANTHONY late Earl of Meath, a faithful & affectionate wife & mother, who was born 15th Novr. 1772, & died 6th May 1822, aged 50, together with 5 of their children namely ; EMILY ANNE, born 7th Decr. 1807, died 5th March 1814. JULIA MARTHA, born 5th Decr. 1808, died 20th Decr. 1808. ANTHONY ARTHUR, born 28th May 1810, died 10th April 1812. WILLIAM BRABAZON, born 12th July 1817, died 28th Sepr. 1823. HOPTON, born 13th May 1816, died April 1834."

(To be continued.)

We regret that want of space obliges us to postpone, until the issue of the next Volume, the remaining epitaphs which the Rev. Mr. Maffett has so kindly sent us, and which are, like all we receive from him, a model of precision, care, and clearness, which is not always the case with some we receive.—ED.

Kiltegan Parish.

(Continued from vol. iii., p. 188.)

[Contributed by Mrs. A. Long, Dublin.]

“Sacred to the memory of CHARLES FREEMAN HUME youngest surviving son of the late Rev. QUINTIN D. HUME, And the dearly loved nephew of FITZWILLIAM HUME DICK Esq. of Humewood, By whom this tablet is erected in Testimony of his great and many virtues & loving generous nature. Born in the year 1848 he died at the early age of 34, on the 27th June 1883. Deeply regretted by all who knew him. He was buried in the family vault at Mount Jerome cemetery, Dublin, where his father and eldest brother WILLIAM HOARE HUME and several members of his family are interred. Rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation.—Romans, chapter 12, verse 12.”

“Sacred to the memory of CHARLOTTE ANNE Relict of the late WILLIAM HOARE HUME Esqre. of Humewood, M.P. for the Co. Wicklow, who died 11th of May, 1864, aged 84 years. Also to the memory of Lieut.-Col. GEORGE PONSONBY HUME who died 14 October, 1866, aged 55 years. And of the Rev. QUINTON DICK HUME who died 25th November, 1871, aged 65 years. This tablet is erected by ISABELLA CROWE and CHARLOTTE JANE FORSTER as a mark of affection and esteem for their beloved Mother and Brothers.”

“In memory of KATHERINE M. M. DENNIS the deservedly beloved wife of THOMAS STRATFORD DENNIS Esqre. of Fortgranite and eldest daughter of MORLEY SAUNDERS Esqre. of Saundersgrove. An illness of a few days deprived her eight children of a tender mother, her attached husband of an affectionate wife, and her kind neighbours of a sincere friend. She died surrounded by her sorrowing family on the 16th July 1825, aged 36 years, and is buried at Baltinglas, close to her eldest brother MORLEY J. S. SAUNDERS who was accidentally killed by his own gun Sept. 27th 1809, and near

to her respected Father MORLEY SAUNDERS Esqre. who died 26th March 1825.

This sad tribute to departed worth was erected by her afflicted husband."

'In the churchyard':—

"Sacred to the memory of WILLIAM NUGENT GLASLOCK Esqre. a Post Captain in the Royal Navy, whose premature death was occasioned by his excessive zeal in the discharge of his public duties as an Inspector under the Irish Relief Act in the year 1847. His amiable qualities in every relation of life endeared him to all who knew him, and his memory will be held dear by an extensive circle of friends, more particularly by his afflicted sorrowing widow and two fondly-attached daughters. He died on the 9th of Oct. 1847, in the 56th year of his age."

"Sacred to the memory of ROBERT BROWN Esqr. Surgeon-Major 2nd Batt. 25th Regiment who departed this life at Barraderry House 9th of May 1864. Deeply regretted by all who knew him. Also in memory of his youngest child EMILIA ETHELL who died on board H.M.S. Himalaya 20th of Sept. 1863. Aged 3 months. And was buried at sea."

Wicklow Parish.

[Kindly contributed by the Reverend Canon Henry Rooke, the Vicarage, Wicklow.]

THE FONT.

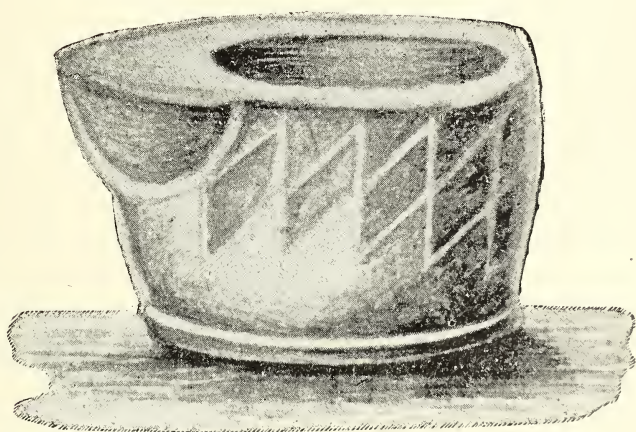
'The white lines seen in photograph are engraved in the stone. The stone is granite. There is a hole through the bottom, and it is evident the font stood on a pillar or pedestal originally, but I never saw it.'

CHURCH PLATE.

'One silver flagon, which is large and handsome, bears date in hall mark of 1725. And a silver cup of 1726.'

THE BELL.

'The old bell was removed from the church tower on the 10th of December, 1890. In my absence, my parishioner, Mr. Desaix, most thoughtfully copied for me the inscription which was found on it when taken down. It is in French, and is as follows:—



ANCIENT FONT IN WICKLOW CHURCH.



“LAN 1771. IAI. ETE. FAIT. PAR HEBAN
LE FLIS. ET. PAR. HERBA. LE. FLIS.”

‘There are figures cast on the bell representing a bishop with mitre ;
a crucifix with a woman clasping it at the foot ; the Virgin and Child.’

“IE. PESSE. 248.”

‘These letters are cut with a chisel.’

‘Letters cut on wood-work suspending bell’ :—

“IEPESE. 288. EN. TOUT.”

‘Translated, the inscription reads’ :—

“Year 1771, I have been made by Heban the Son
and by Herba the Son.
I weigh 248 lbs.
I weigh 288 lbs. in all.”

‘The Bell is erected at Tinnakelly House, the residence of the late Captain Halpin, D.L., Rathnew, Wicklow.’

“To Mrs. JANE SIMPSON who Deceased the 17th of June
1737 in the 46th Year of her Age. Her affectionate Mistress
A. S. from a grateful regard to her extraordinary Fidelity
and Discretion during Eighteen Years Service Erected this
stone.”

“In Memory of HANNAH CAFE ; a sincere CHRISTIAN, she Died
a few days after y^e Birt^h of her Child Jan^y 6th 1789 in
the 25th year of her Age.

She slept in Jesus
She shall rise again
Lean not on Earth that will pierce thee to the Heart
A broken reed at best but oft a spear
On its Sharp Point Peace bleeds and Hope expires.”

“Sacred To the Memory of ANDREW THOMSON Commander
of the Ship Strabane of Glasgow who perished off Wicklow
February 24th 1838 at the early age of twenty-six in the
noble endeavour to save his crew and the Ship intrusted to
his charge.

‘In thee O Lord do I put my trust ;
Let me never be put to confusion.’”

‘On a copy of an old Irish cross, of white marble. Inscribed on base of cross’ :—

“ROBERT CHARLES HALPIN

OF TINAKILLY HOUSE :

J.P. D.L. FOR THIS COUNTY ;

BORN FEB 16th 1836 DIED JAN 20th 1894

“THEY THAT GO DOWN TO THE SEA IN SHIPS,

THAT DO BUSINESS IN GREAT WATERS ;

THESE SEE THE WORKS OF THE LORD ”

“SO HE BRINGETH THEM UNTO THEIR DESIRED HAVEN.”

‘The cross stands 9 ft. 7 in. in height from the ground.’

We regret much that want of space prevents us from printing the other epitaphs Canon H. Rooke has so kindly sent us, but we hope to publish them in the Volume for 1898.—Ed.

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